

The Heart of an Indian

POWERFUL

INSIGHTFUL

PRIDE

INTELLIGENCE

PERSISTENCE

ALL



INDIAN PRIDE DEFINES OUR TRIBE



Weequahic High School
279 Chancellor Avenue
Newark, NJ 07112

Principal: Lisa McDonald
Advisor: Ms. Poole



WHAT DOES "INDIAN

A strong family bond



Ambition



A history of success



School spirit



Strength



Orange and Brown



A dynamic staff



Childhood bonds



"PRIDE" MEAN TO YOU?

Hardwork



Support of a friend



Giving back to the community



Dapper young men



Cute Girls



Student Activism

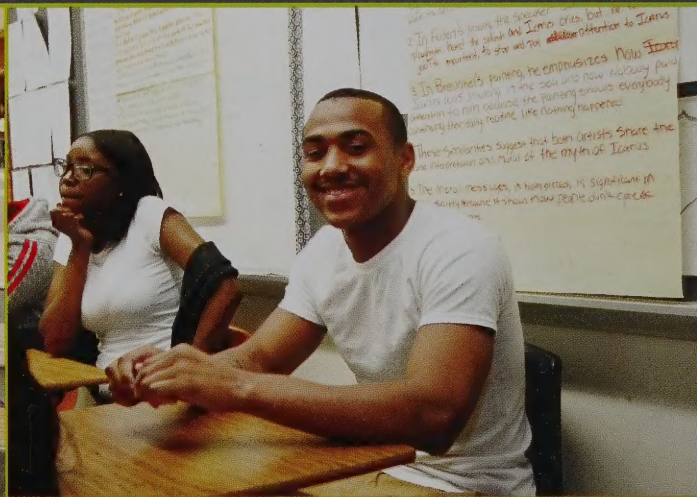


Representing Weequahic
where ever you go





/Perseverance/ steadfastness in doing something despite difficulty or delay in gratification

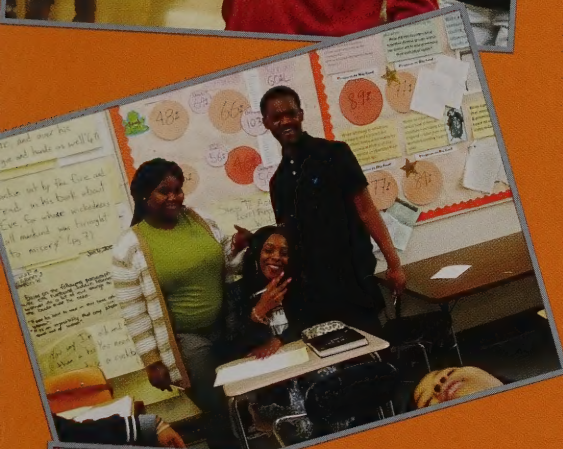
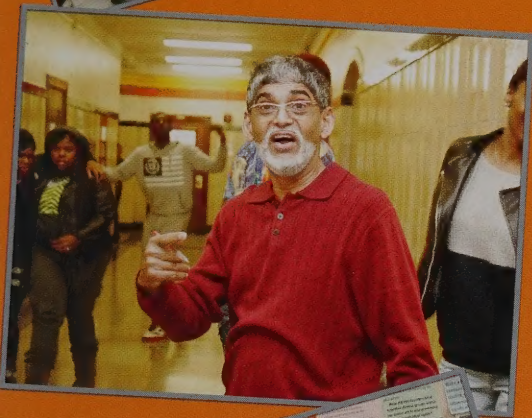


PERSEVERANCE

DEDICATION

TENACITY

DRIVE



"None of us got where we are solely by pulling ourselves up by our bootstraps...somebody-a parent, a teacher, an Ivy League crony or a few nuns-bent down and helped us pick up our boots."
 -Thurgood Marshall, Supreme Court Justice



And now a few words from our **Leaders...**



PERSEVERENCE

The yearbook staff had the opportunity to sit with our new administrative leader, Mrs. Lisa McDonald. Principal McDonald shared stories about her educational career, which adds up to over 19 years of service. Mrs. McDonald hails from Ohio where she has taught at various levels and has held a vice principal position before venturing to New Jersey. Prior to coming to Weequahic, Mrs. McDonald worked as a Vice Principal at Barringer High School.

When asked to describe herself, Mrs. McDonald stated that she was "honest, passionate, faithful and is a survivor". One interesting and empowering detail is that Mrs. McDonald is a 12 year breast cancer survivor. Although she has a serious position, Mrs. McDonald can relate to the student body in a lot of ways. Her favorite type of music is R&B and Rap. Her favorite artists are Drake, Ice Cube, Kendrick Lamar and Jhene Aiko. When able to find spare time, Mrs. McDonald loves to shop, hangout with her family and playing basketball.

What Principal McDonald enjoys most about Weequahic is the long history of pride amongst the students and alumni. She defines Indian Pride as a sense of connection to the school, the Southward, and Weequahic's history. Her final message to the **CLASS OF 2015** was "You always need a plan, always have one, because there will be times where you will have to adjust".

"Dream Big Because your possibilities are endless"
- Mrs. McDonald



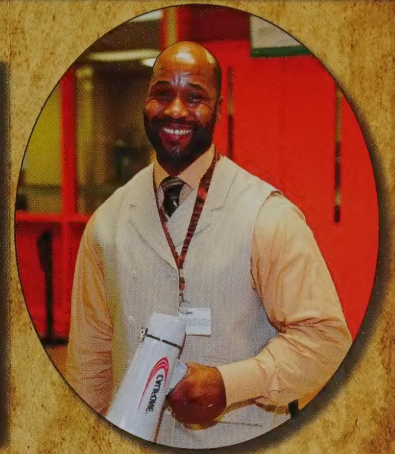
Dr. Williams, V.P.

TO THE CLASS OF 2015:

Congratulations! Your journey through high school has come to an end and the next chapter of your life, college and career, begins. In your new journey, take with you the experiences and lessons learned from Weequahic High School. The valuable experiences and foundation from the last 4 years will not only serve you well in your pursuit of higher education, but will be of advantage to you in your social and business endeavors. Continue to make us proud and live your lives in such a way that you will reflect credit upon yourselves, your family, and community. **IP!**

Seniors,

As you enter adulthood and are now chiefly responsible and accountable for actions remember these words: A well defined sense of purpose provides a road map that guides and directs our journey. Life is simpler and more meaningful when we set goals for ourselves and have a particular mission in mind. Goals propel us into action and gives us the driving force necessary to face life's challenges. Set goals, live life with purpose, and remember your mission. I love you and wish for all of you blessings without number and all good things without end!



Mr. Worley, V.P.



Ms. Mills, V.P.

Class of 2015,

What can I say? I am happy that I had the opportunity to meet so many new and wonderful young men and women. Congratulations on completing this chapter of your life. I want to encourage you to reach new heights in the future. All of those lessons and memories made here at Weequahic are already imprinted on the pages of your life and will profoundly impact your future. It is imperative that you remember to apply these fundamental lessons to the decisions that you will make. Always remember, "It is good to have an end to a journey, but it is the journey that matters in the end." Good Luck!

Congratulations to the Class of 2015!

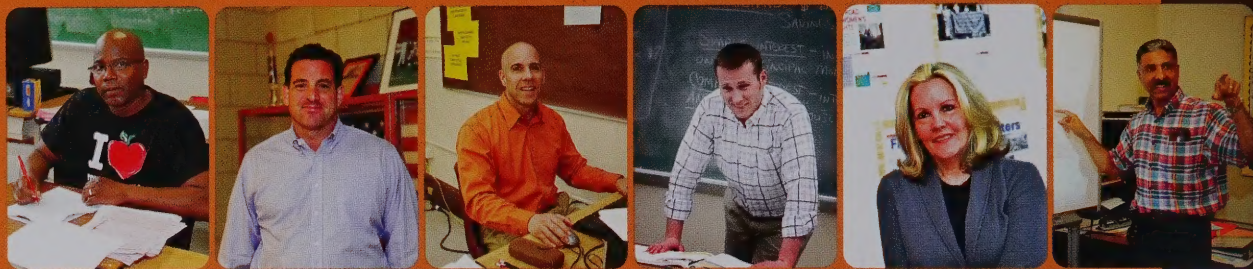
I wonder what will be the abiding memory that comes to mind when someone mentions Weequahic to you in years to come? Will it be IP? Prom? Fun times in the North cafe? Who knows. Among the collective memories will be thousands of moments of laughter, of learning, of friendship, and school pride. There may even be moments of sadness. You have been a part of a real community for all its ups and downs. Hopefully you have learned to become more independent. Live your lives in such a way that will make us all proud. In the end what matters most is what kind of person you are to others and how you have strived to become a better person each day.



Ms. Arango, AD 7



Bashir Akinyele
Robert Belcours
David Bellani
Ryan Caffrey
Elise Caragine
Matthew Cherian



Gueurlangely Chery
Wonne Clark-Hall
Sakia Dandridge
Dadisi Dubose
Jyoti Gour
Monique Gray



Monika Hannemann
Timothy Healy
Cheryl Howard
Robert Hyllton
Adaeze Ihuoma
Portia Johnson



Dr. Basemah Jumuah
Dr. George Mathew
Darius Kopeo
Denise Moore
Owen Newson
Aura Orlegen

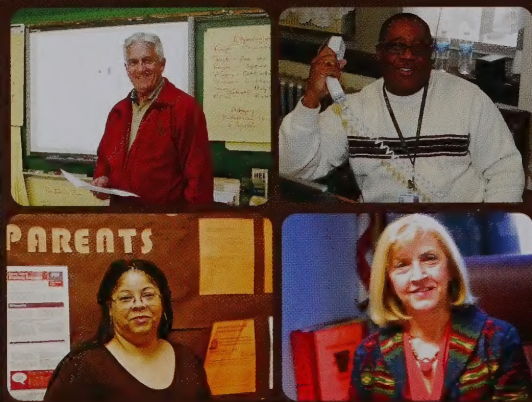


Michael Page
Ofelia Pancaric
Ameenah Poole
Fazlu Rahaman
Nigar Rizvi
Peter Salek



Way to Go Retirees..

Over 100 years of combined service!!!



Mr. Healy, Ms. Howard, Mr. Pitts, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Waters (Not Pictures)

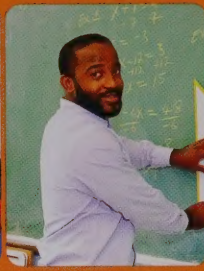
"Mr. HEALY... was my favorite English teacher. He always inspired us to do better. Everyday was a new adventure in English. Healy will be missed."



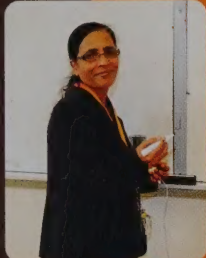
Weequahic, where Teachers and Students are Family.

"SHE always tried to help me no matter what. Ms. Howard was funny as heck. She was cool and down to Earth too. I want to tell Ms. Howard thank you for everything."

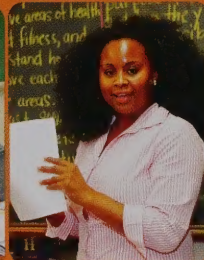




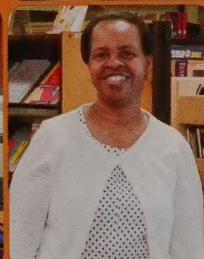
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Kenneth Simon
Mr. Shepard
Justin Sneed
Dominic Tamin
Fottheddine Tarik



Rahelamma Thomas
George White
Michael Zacharella
Koyiad Zahir
Beverly Reid
Lynette Howard



Enya Chimezie
Mr. Dinkins
Jamal Rozler
Brian Logan
Ms. Woodson
Mrs. Liberato



Juan Alvarez
Sharon Brown
Audrey Dennis-Townsend
Ana Des Santos
Chanel Furlow
Sandra Shanks



Jonathan Pollard
Mr. Hill
Mr. D. Parker
Ms. Gillespie



THEY

sacrificed extra time, their families, and sometimes their health in order for us to succeed.

They pushed, inspired, and motivated us to be Great. They are Our **Chiefs!** The **Leaders of our Tribe. TEACHERS!**



"Caffrey always kept class interesting."
-Jestine Hoff



"Zahir is inspirational and cool."
-Dominic Agyeman



"Ms. Gray is my favorite teacher because she has a good sense of humor."
-Quaron Huggins



"My counselor Mrs. Bogan is my fav because she goes the extra mile for students."
-Michael



"Healy and Hrdina pushed me to become the man I am today."
-Isaiah Bodison



"Mr. White, Zacharella, and Akinyele are the coolest teachers."
-Tasean Finkley

"One Tribe, Many Dreams, One Goal..Success"

WE

are WEEQUAHIC. We are **INDIANS**. ORANGE and BROWN flow through Our **Veins**. Indian Pride makes us **THRIVE**.



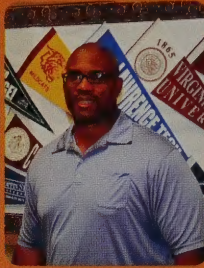
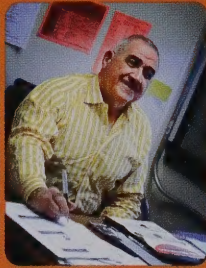
Seniors... '15



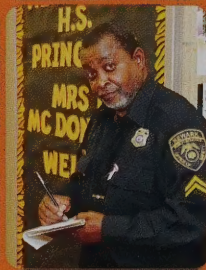
We are all in this together. One family. One Community, striving for Excellence.

Academics are Always First.

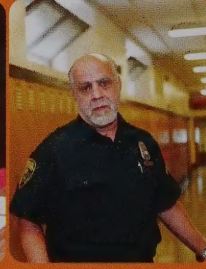
Volanda Cassidy-Bogan
Mrs. Collins
Nicholas Faltzarano
Sean Lovell
Isaac Puts
Dwendolyn Tatum



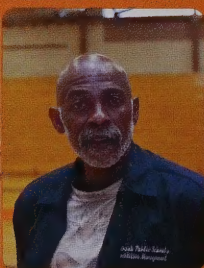
Officer Bryant
Officer Kelly
Officer James
Officer Pinkney
Officer Lockett
Officer Berry



Officer Grimsley
Officer Blue
Officer Manson
Officer Crawford
Officer Williams
Officer Prempeh



Officer Philson
Officer Hollis
Ms. Anderson
Mr. Robinson
Ms. Vincent
Mr. Williams



Cafeteria Staff 2015



Not Pictured: Mr. Butler (SOM), Ms. Elmira Lawson (Alumni Association Exec Director), Ms. Thomas (Senior Security Guard)

Thank You WHS Alumni Association!

The Class of 2015
appreciates all of your
hardwork and dedication!

THEY spend countless hours on behalf of the students and to preserve the legacy of Weequahic High Schools. We are forever indebted to our Alumni Association.



The Strongest High School Alumni Association in the Country!! (pictured: Mr. Yourish, Executive Director)



Mr. Healy's English IV class.



Ms. Gray strikes a pose.

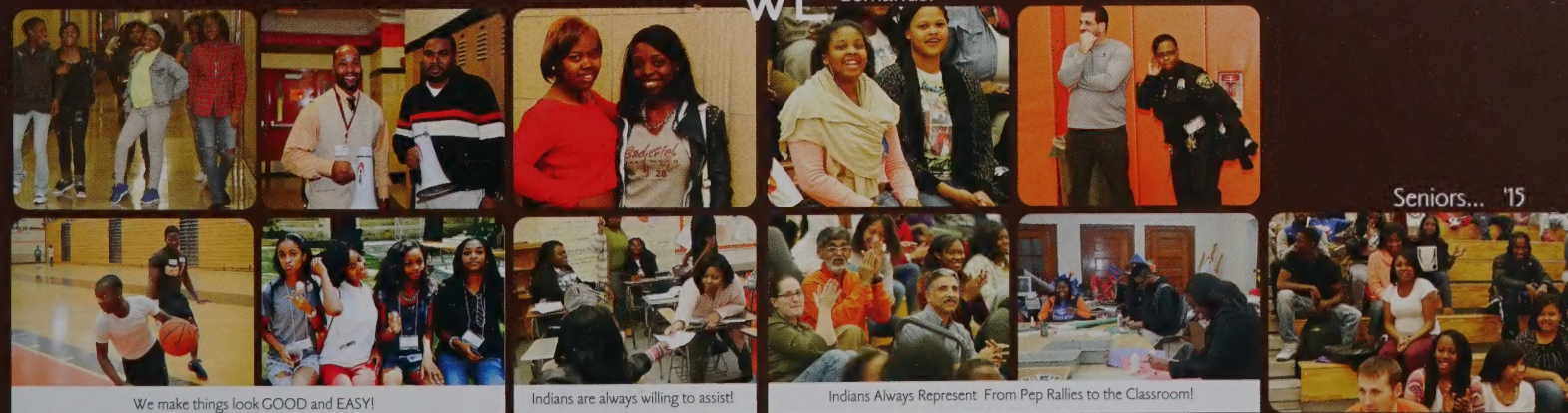


Mr. Yourish officially retired in June of 2014, but you can still catch him in the halls of Weequahic speaking to staff and students or in the library working.

CANDIDLY SPEAKING... 2015 PICTURES



THEY are the life of the Weequahic-the leaders of the **TRIBE**. Academic and social Trendsetters. Trailblazing the Scence. No other class does it like **2015!** **WE** are Unprecedented. The class of **2015** sets standards to establish **untouchable** demands.



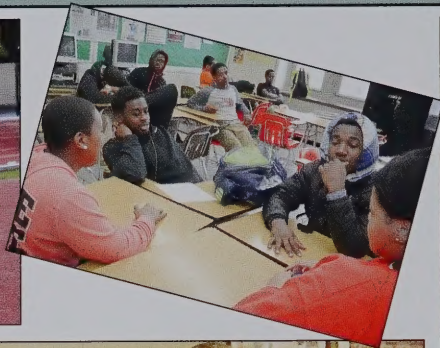
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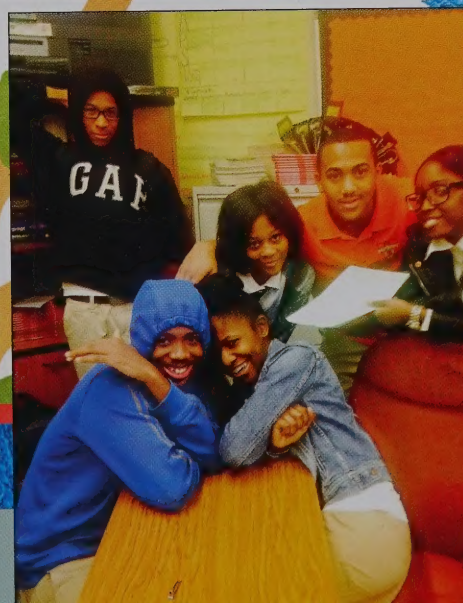
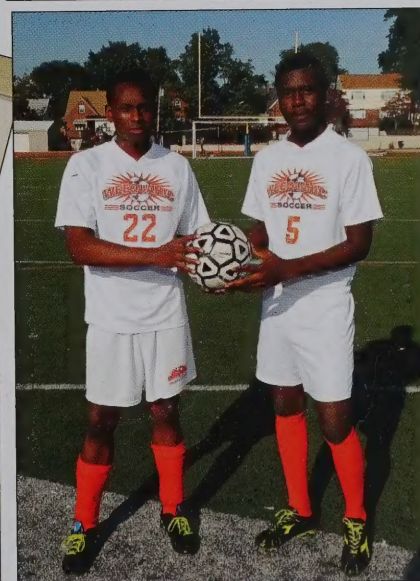
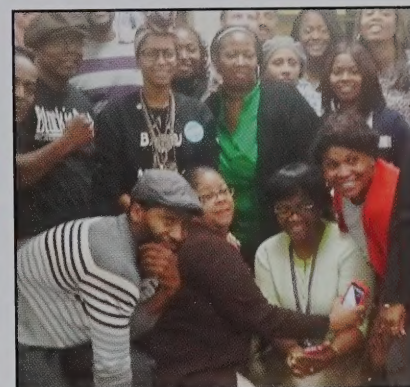
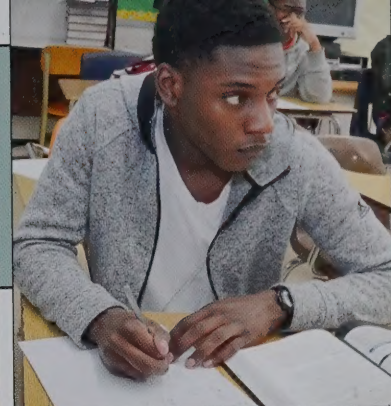
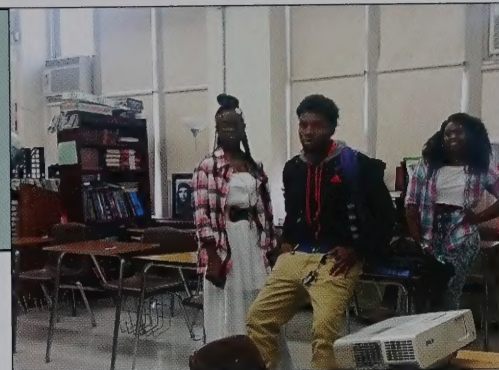
We make things look GOOD and EASY!

Indians are always willing to assist!

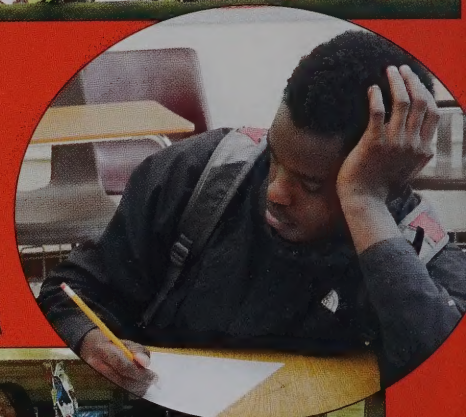
Indians Always Represent From Pep Rallies to the Classroom!

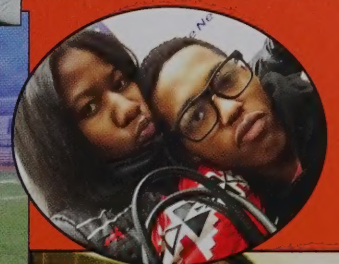
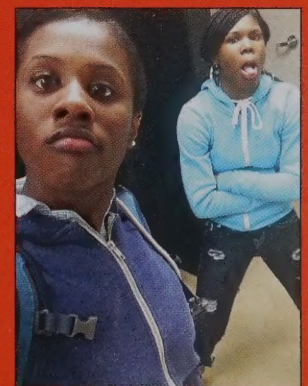
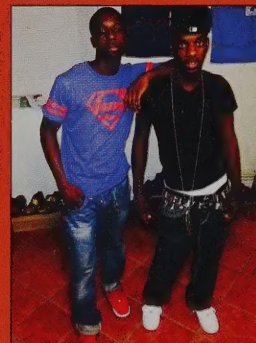
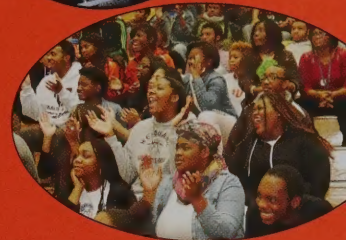
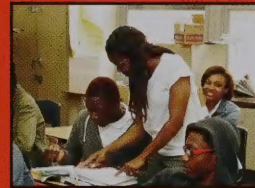
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Valedictorian Address



I can't believe how fast my time here at Weequahic has flew. I've met so many great people here. I am saddened by the thought of leaving and excited to move on to college and career. Please remember that you are amazing. My message to you, my fellow classmates is to continue to be ambitious and follow any dreams that you may have.

Salutatorian Address



My fellow Indians, as we transition to the next phase of our lives, I would like for you to know that I am overwhelmed with emotion. I am anxious to begin this new journey and eager to see all of my fellow Indians prosper. My wish for all of you is prosperity, knowledge, and success. Please excel to new heights and represent Indian Pride wherever you go. This is definitely not a "good bye" think of it as a "see you later." IP

Senior Class Advisor Address



*"A successful man is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks other have thrown at him."
-David Brinkley*

To the Class of 2015,
May all of your dreams come true. Remember to strive for greatness and don't settle for anything less! You all have the ability to be great.
Think wisely and work hard.
Love Always,
Sandy



***Class of 2015
You are the Pride of
Weequahic High School!***

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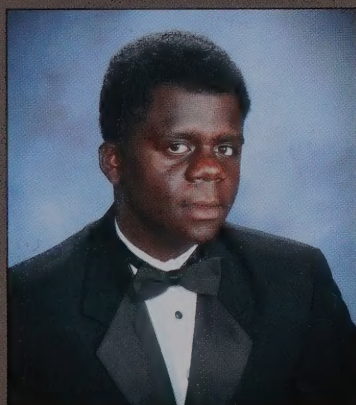
Dominic Agyeman

"The ability succeed has always been a catalyst in my life."



Chayne Allen

"The thought of bigger and better things on the other side serves as my motivation."



Jeffrey Amponsah

"I plan to attend NJCU and to study biology."



Ligel Bankston

"I would like to be a mechanic after graduation."



Shakyya Alford-Cole

"I plan to graduate from college and become an entrepreneur."



Langiwulo Allen

"In the future I plan to live comfortably while practicing law."



Latif Anderson

"My family is my motivation."



Sahara Bateman

"When I think about who motivated me the most, my mother's face come to mind. I would be nothing without her."

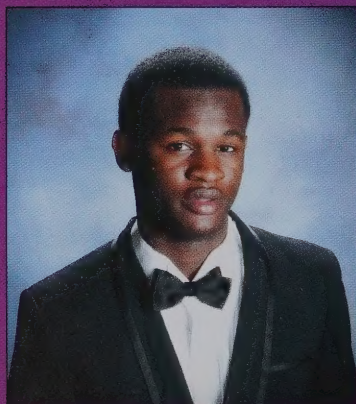


WEEQUAHIC HIGH SCHOOL



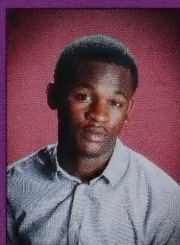
Briana Bernard

"My future aspiration includes becoming a forensic pathologists."



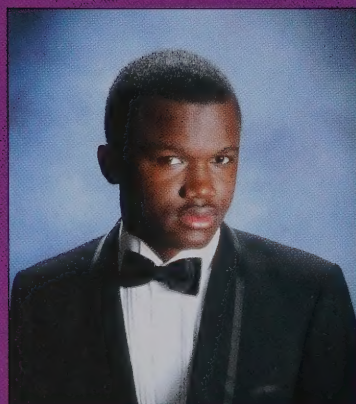
Isaha Boone

"Receiving my high school diploma is my present motivation."



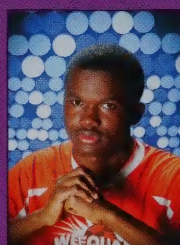
Antwanisha Brookins

"The successful Weequahic staff motivated me throughout my high school career."



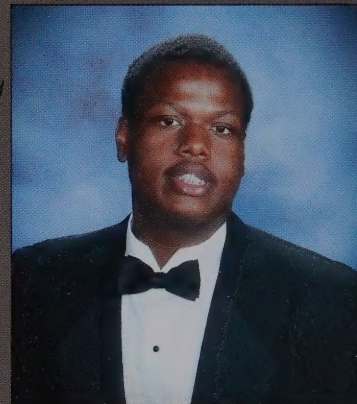
Lincoln Brown

"My future goal is employment in the world of professional soccer."



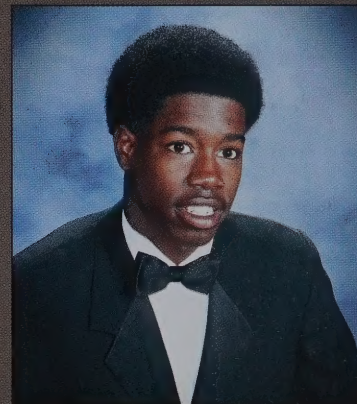
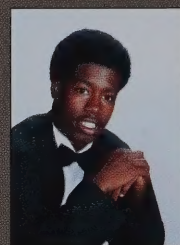
Isaiah Bodison

"My teachers always motivated me in class, but my mother is a constant motivator."



Dawayne Boursiquot

"My great-grandmother has always motivated me to do better in life."



Brianna Brown

"In the future I plan to be an elementary English Language Arts Literacy teacher."



Tyasia Brown

"I am pretty much self-sufficient and self-motivated. I dig deep to push myself in order to complete my goals."



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Dorian Carruthers

"My future goal is to join the US Navy and to bravely serve my country."



Bruce Coleman

"My future plans involve me joining the US Army."



Jamil Cooper

"The thought of being wealthy in the future motivates me the most."



Shontia Council

"The thought of being successful is what motivates me."



Anthony Cassidy

"I tend to be self-motivated by trying to stay on the right path while accomplishing my goals."



Najee Conover



Saborrah Cooper

"Seeing kids go through struggles and not having resources inspires me to want to be a psychologists."



Jeddah Cousar

"My brother motivates me to be a leader. He is knowledgeable of world events and inspires me to think globally."



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Devonae Cunningham

"Talented artisits like Left-Eye and Chris Brown are my inspiration."



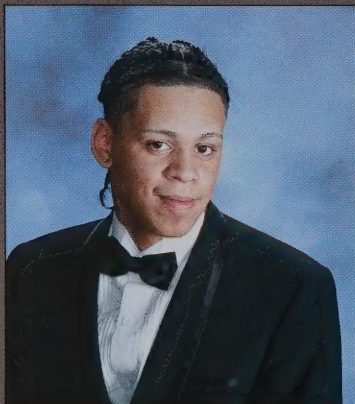
Ameenah Danmole

"My teachers have always motivated me, and believe it or not my peers did too."

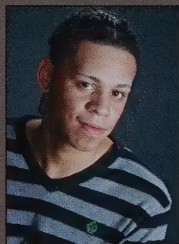


Unique-Jewel Daves

"College is definitely on my near future. Attending college sets me on the path to becoming an accountant."



Jonathan Dejesus



Tamiah Cunningham

"Self-motivation intrinsically drives me to accomplish my goals and to perservere."



Jonbenet Darby-Vanover

"My future goals include becoming a personal chef."



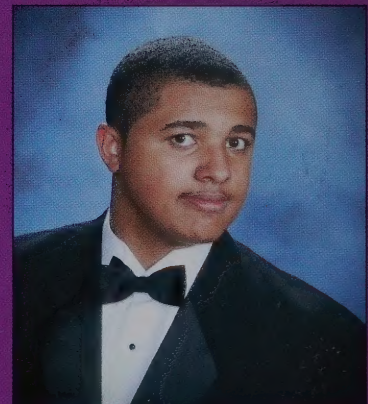
Nyi-Zha Davis

"Health has always been one of my favorite classes, so naturally a career in nursing is my goal."



Daniel Denman

"My future goals is to join the Mairines."



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Jasmine Dixon

"My future aspirations include employment in the field of criminal justice."



Amirah Felton-Godbolt

"My future goals include becoming a teacher, completing cosmetology school, and opening up a salon."



Christina Fredrick

"I plan to attend college as a journalism major."



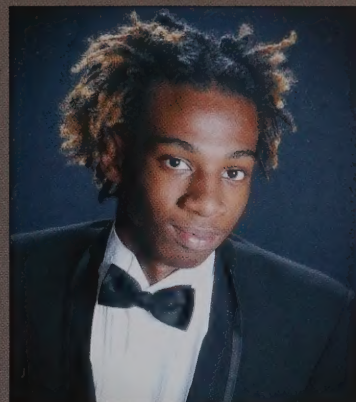
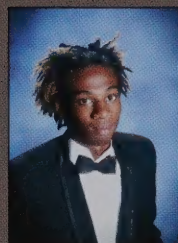
Shaquan Gordon

"Money Aint everything, it's the only thing-my motivation."



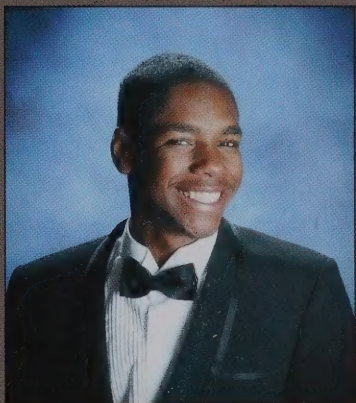
Al-Marquan Echols

"A future of success surrounded by family and real friends."



Tasean Finkley

"I plan to work for the FBI or as a US Marshall one day."



Shontel Gillespie

"My future goals is to become a nurse."



Rasheed Grant

"I plan to attend a trade school after graduation."

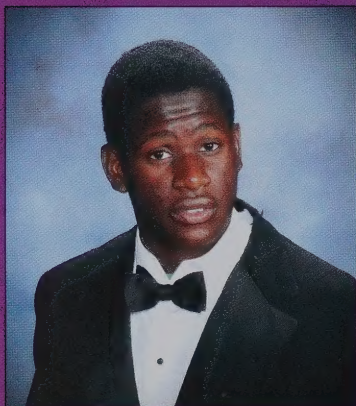


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Rasheedah Grant

"My mother has always motivated me to be an individual and she has been very supportive."



Rondell Hamer

"My ultimate goal is to get a computer science degree and to work for Google."



Ja'bre Harris

"I would someday like to become a nurse."



Glenn Harrison



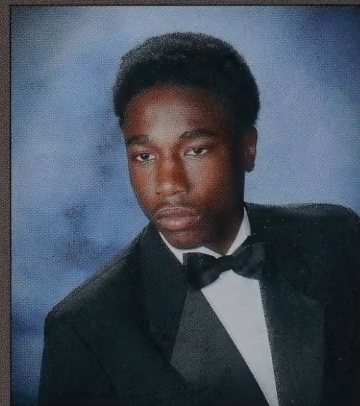
India Greene

"Knowing that you have support and people in your corner has always been a motivation for me."



Shawn Hannah

"My motivation is the thought of being successful in life and career."



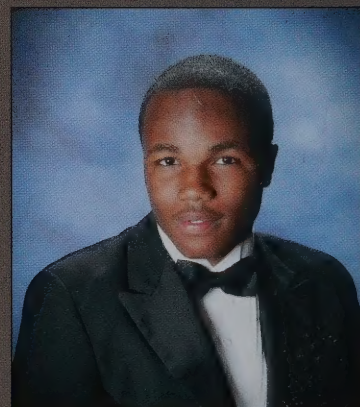
Al-liya Harrison

"My family is my motivation."



Jestine Hoff

"Money motivates me and one day I plan to make a lot of it."



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Tyquan Holland

"The thought of endless success in career and personal life motivates me to strive for greatness."



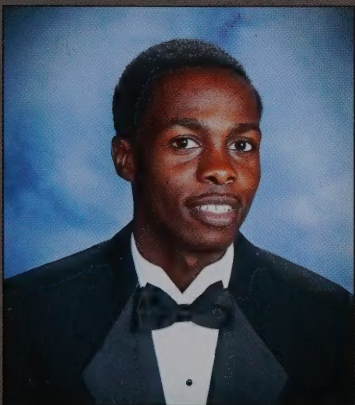
Chevelle Hunte

"Unfortunately the increase in Crime serves as a motivation for me to get an education and to become a corrections officer."



Nayannah Jackson

"After completing college, I plan to open a daycare."



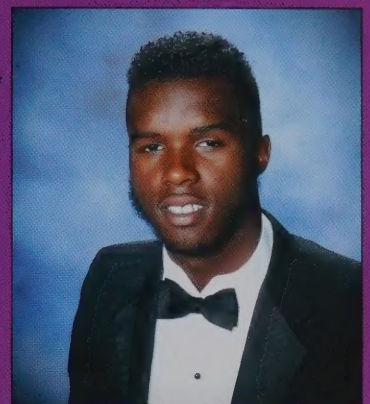
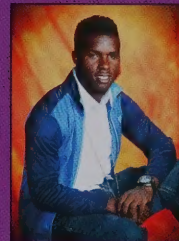
Yves Michael Jean

"My career goal is centered around business management."



Quaron Huggins

"Joining the armed forces is one of future goals."



Hannah Hutchins

"Really caring teachers are a major motivation and inspiration."



Dominique Jarrell

"My career goals includes one day owning a business."



Asia Jeter

"My mother has always been the source of my inspiration."



WEEQUAHIC HIGH SCHOOL



Amatullah Johnson

"Becoming successful is what motivates me the most."



Mahdee Johnson



Taj Jones

"Life is too short to be average and that's my motivation."



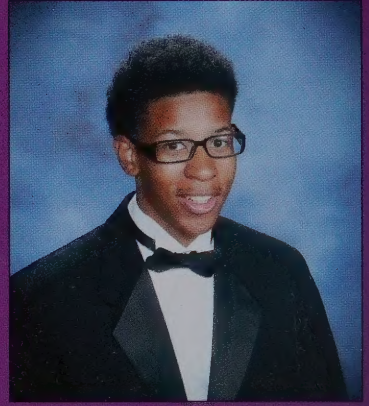
Tyquan Knight

"My parents are my biggest inspiration and motivation."



De'Andre Johnson

"I plan to graduate from college and find a n engineering job."



Najah Johnson



Daisha Kearny

"My future goals include becoming a social worker."



Naa Ada Kotei



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Natisse Langley

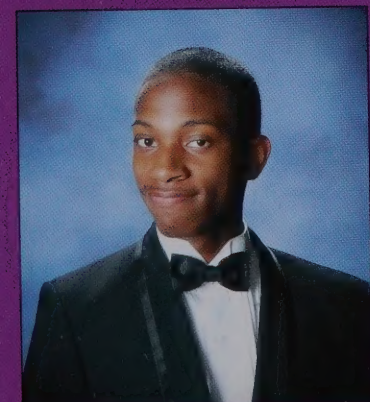


Trevone Marshall

"Success is what motivates me!"



Rose Martinez



Michael McGibbon

"Jesus Christ is my motivation and inspiration in life."



Jahad Lyde

"Doing my very best at all times is what motivates me the most."



Destiny Martin

"After graduating from college I plan to become a nurse."



Kiana McCray

"There are two people who constantly motivate me to achieve that's my grandfather and my mother."

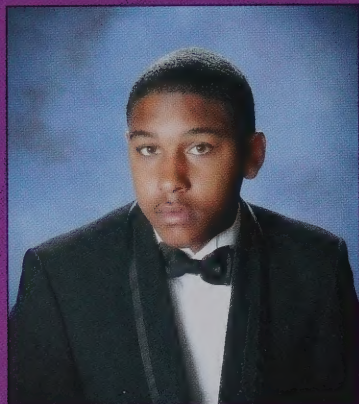


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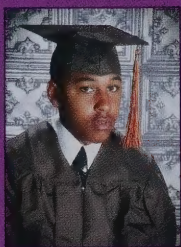
"My daughter and my mother (RIP) serve as my inspiration and motivation."



WEEQUAHIC HIGH SCHOOL

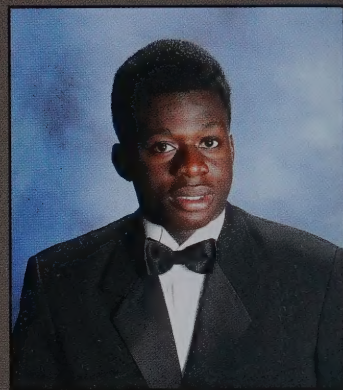


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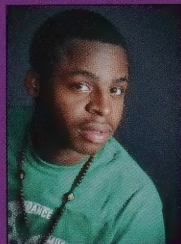


Joseph Oduro-Tweneboah

My aunt, "G" inspires me because she is a nurse and she gives good advice about careers and life.

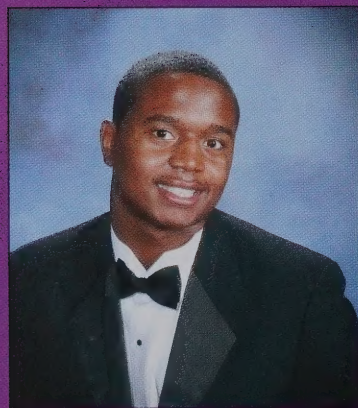


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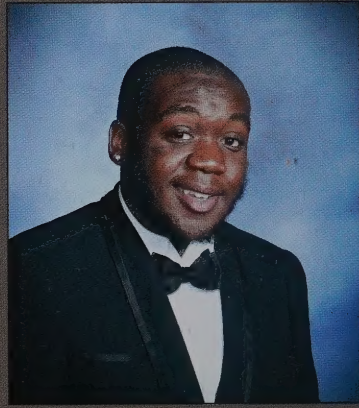
"I've always dreamed of becoming an accountant and giving back to my community."



Tysheem Perry



Gerren Pittman



Janorris Preston

"I hope to one day fulfill my dream of going into the army."



Raymond Rand

"I plan to go into the US Navy upon graduation."



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Allazee Rattray

"One day I wish to fulfill my dream of being a famous hairstylist."



Shaheed Sanders

"The fear of failure motivates me."



Neeasha Scott

"I plan to become a forensic scientists after graduating from college."



Emmitt Smith



Tatiana Rean

"I plan to study fashion design after graduation."



Jennifer Sarpehio



Da-Naya Simmons



Yaminah Smith

"My career goals include studying animal science and to become a vetermarian."



WEEQUAHIC HIGH SCHOOL



Jada Solomon

"One day I dream to become a writer or an English teacher."



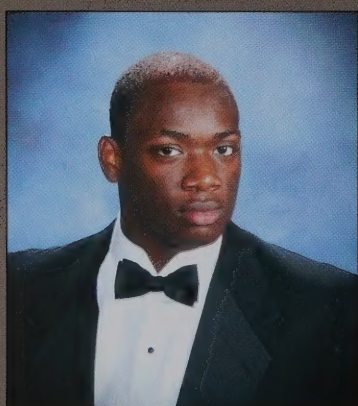
Jalissia Steed

"My sister motivates me the most."



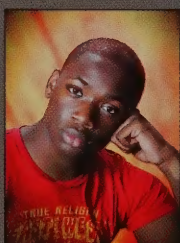
Bryce Swain

"My future goal is to make it out of Newark and to become a dialysis technician."



Keyon Terry

"My future goals include having a reality show."



Nakirah Solomon

"I would like to become a nursing assistant."

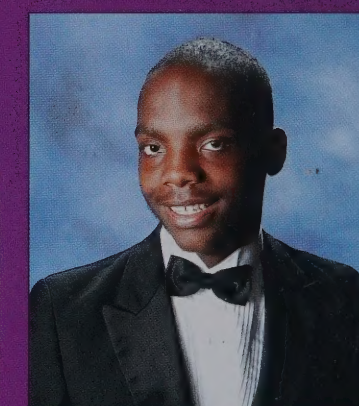
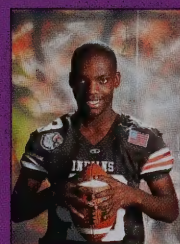


Naida Strouhn

"My future plans includes me serving my country as a member of the Air Force."



James Taylor



Muneerah Thomas

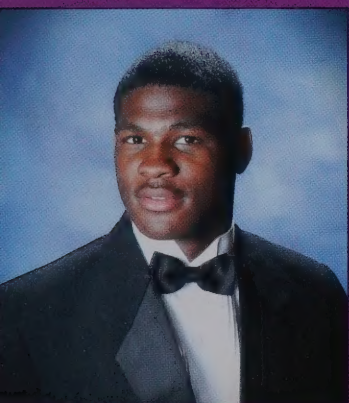
"Mt parents motivate me as well as the thought of moving closer and closer to my future."



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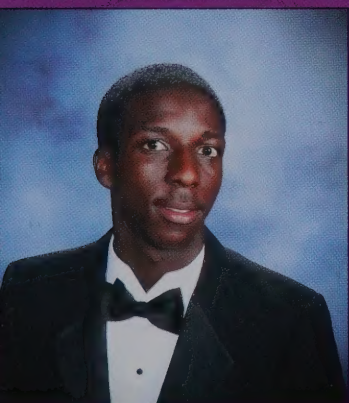


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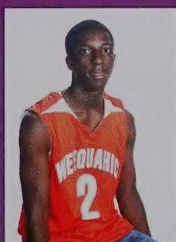


Zhakeiz Washington

"My goal is to become someone and not live my life as a failure."



Jaickey Whack



Steffon Widemon



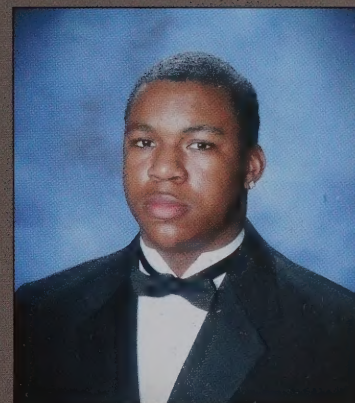
LaQuanda Vincent

"My motivation comes from a strong support system that include my mother and my coaches."



Kevon Wattley

"God is the major motivating factor in my life."



Qua-mere Whack

"I want to be an accountant."

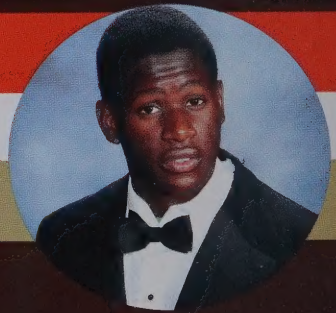
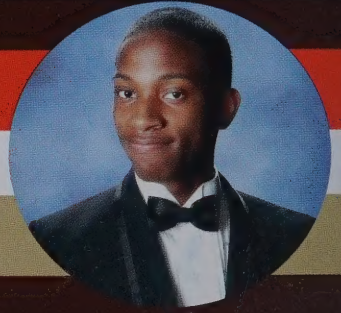


Aminah Williams

"My career goal involves me owning a global cosmetology business."



Top Twenty



1. Jeddah Cousar
2. Muneerah Thomas
3. Shontia Council
4. Micahel McGibbon
5. Ameerah Felton-Godbolt
6. Naa Adei Kotey
7. Dominic Agyeman
8. Rondell Hammer
9. Isaiah Alexander
10. Daireny Pena



11. Shakyya Alford
12. Joseph Oduro-Tweneboah
13. De'Andre Johnson
14. Jeffrey Amponsah
15. Saborrah Cooper
16. Daisha Kearney
17. Langiwulo Allen
18. Mahdee Johnson
19. Naida Stroughn
20. Ameenah Danmole

Senior

Superlatives



CLASS OF
2015

Tuesday, October 7



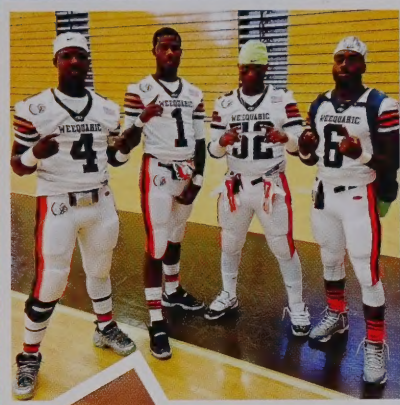
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Good Morningggg Kyya Good Luck
On HSPA And Try Your Best !

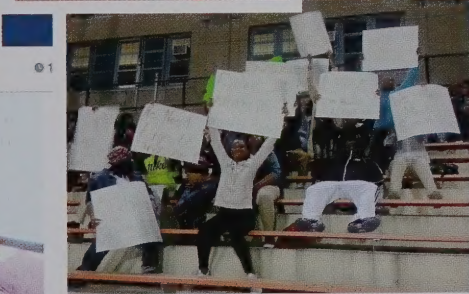
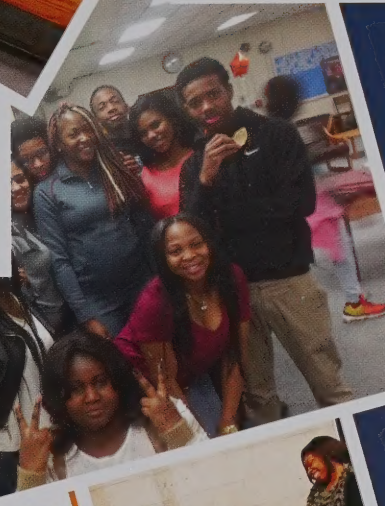


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Senior 2015



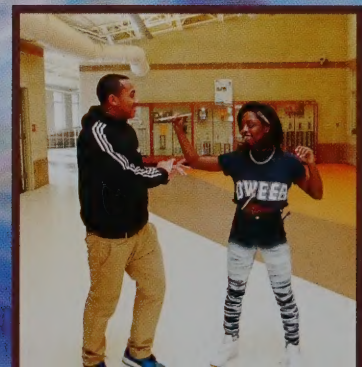
SENIOR SUPERLATIVES



Cutest Couple that Never Was:
Hannah Hutchins & Shaquille Neal



Most Talented:
Antwanisha Brookins
&
Shaheed Sanders



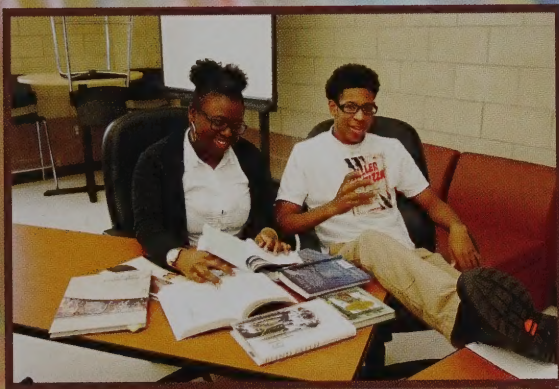
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Drama King & Queen:
Chayne Allen & Keyon
Terry



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BOOK Worm:
Shakyya Alford-Cole &
De'Andra Johnson



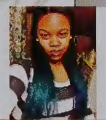
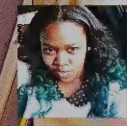
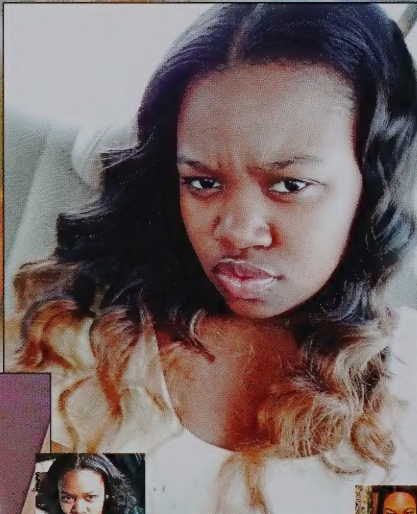


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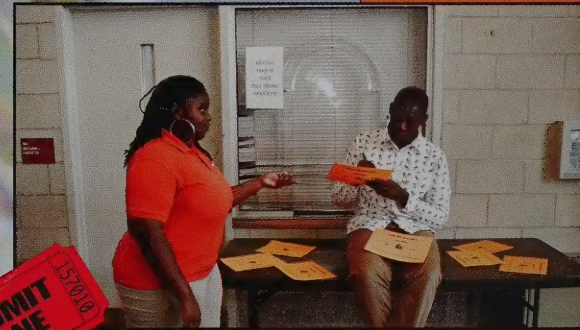
Ameenah Danmole,
Destiny Warnock
&
Yasir Everitt



Craziest Hairstyle :
Aminah Williams



"UNOFFICIAL"
Hall Monitor
Keyon Terry



Most Inseparable:
Briana Bernard
&
Jasmine Dixon



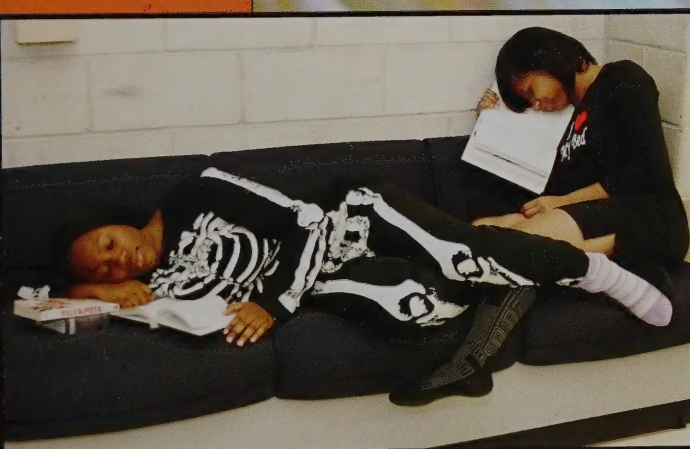
BFF



"There's no one else that I can see myself growing old and laughing about old times with. She's more than my bestfriend, she's my sister."
-Briana Bernard

"Briana has always been there for me when I needed her most. She is definitely a good person. We are a perfect match...I love her."
-Jasmine

Sleeping Beauty & Beast:
Nyi-Azha Davis,
Naida Strouhn
&
Anthony Cassidy



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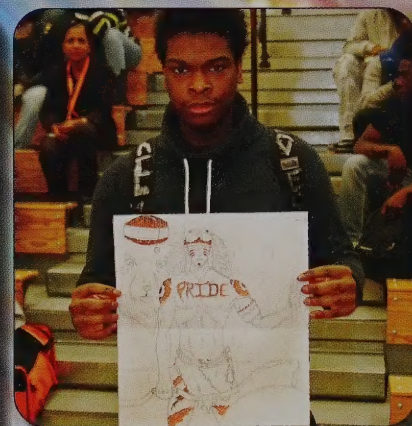
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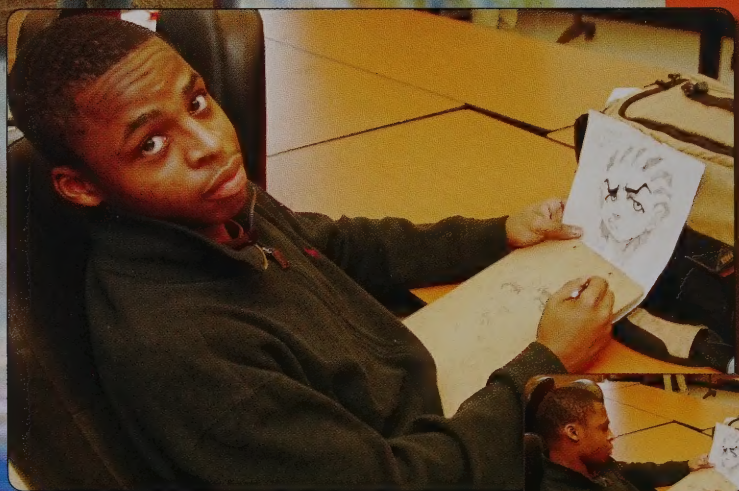
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Most Likely to be Famous:
Jailey Whack, Jada Solomon,
Yaminah Smith & Shontia Council



Artistic:
Tariq Parker
&
Brian Wallace

Jeddah Cousar
&
Muneerah Thomas



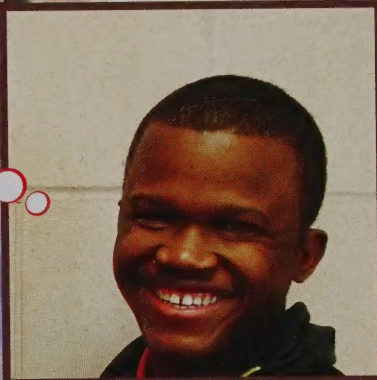


Funniest Laugh:
Yamínah Smith &
Lincoln Brown

My laugh
isn't that bad!



Uh, Yes,
Yamínah it
is!



Shoe/Sneaker Game:
India Greene
&
Jamil Cooper

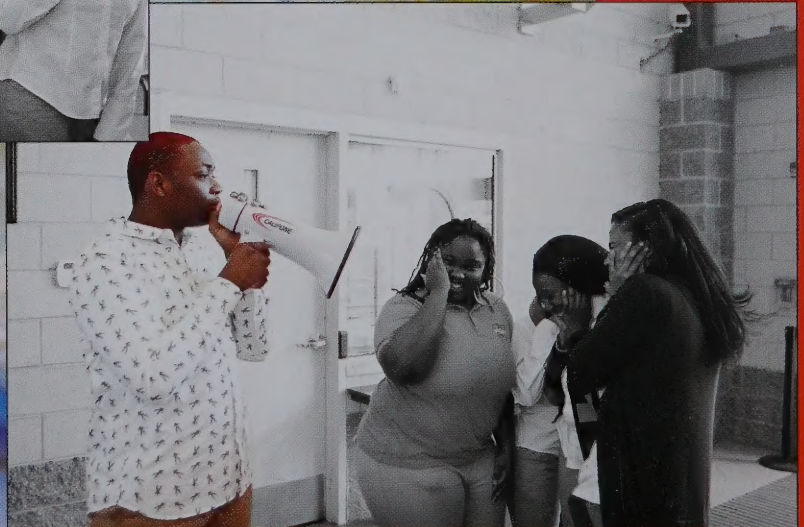


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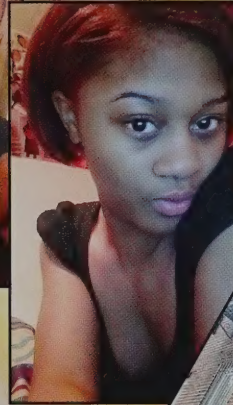
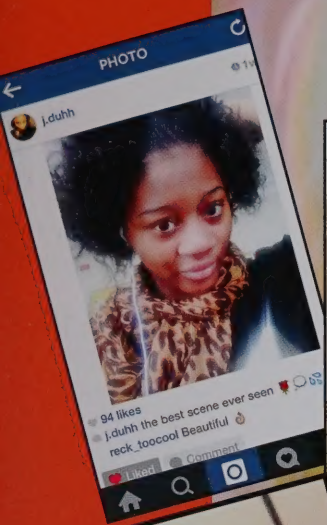
Most Flirtatious
Kiana McCray
&
Jerry Lerrisant



LOUDEST:
Keyon Terry
&
Janorris Preston



Addicted to Instagram & Selfie King and Queen: Jada Solomon & Shaquan Gordon



*"Gotta alyways stay lit on the 'gram".
-Shaquan Gordon*



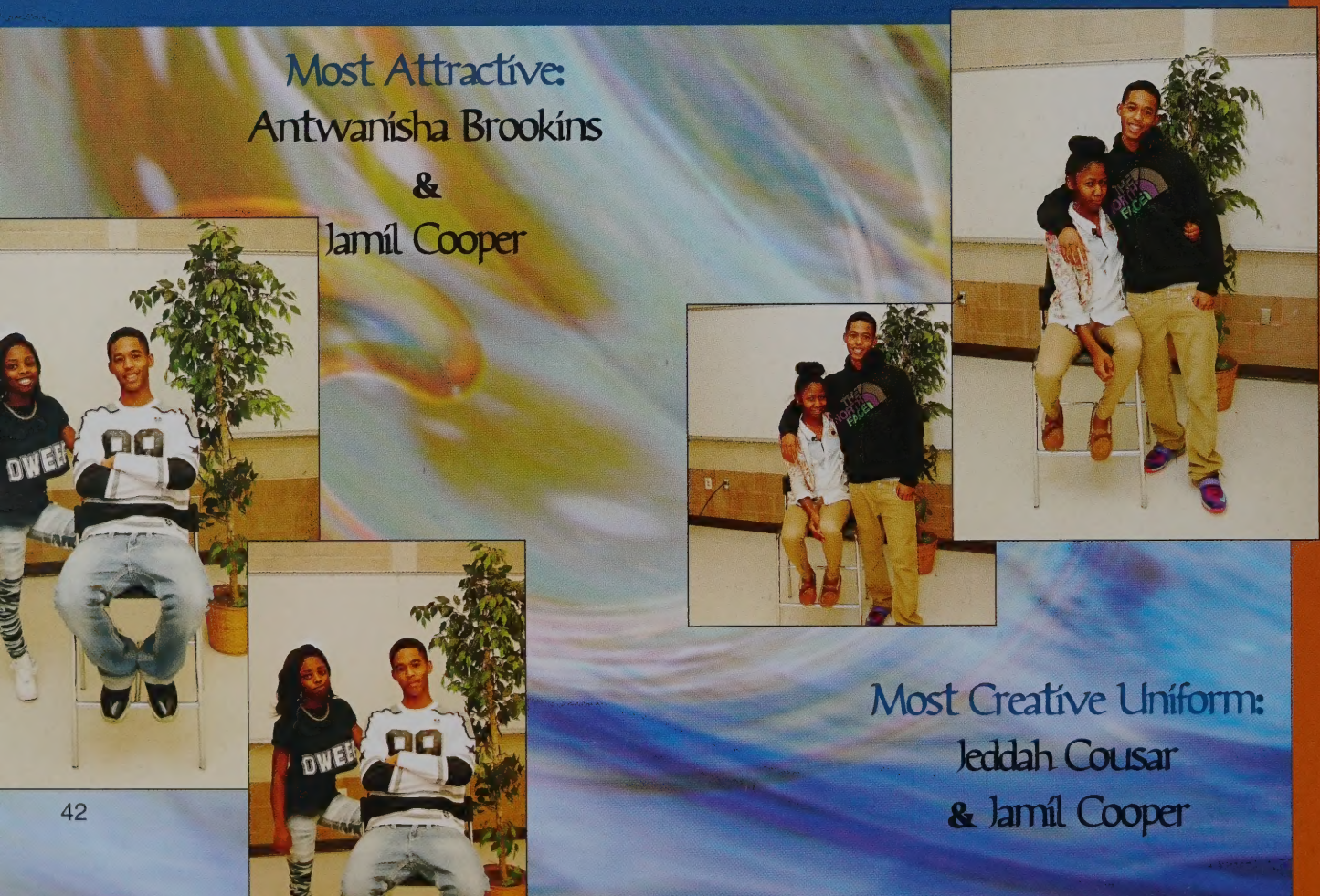
Church Mouse:
Tatiana Reane &
Naa Ada Kotei



[SUPERLATIVES]



Most Athletic:
Dominique Jarrell,
Shaquan Gordan



Most Attractive:
Antwanisha Brookins
&
Jamil Cooper

Most Creative Uniform:
Jeddah Cousar
& Jamil Cooper

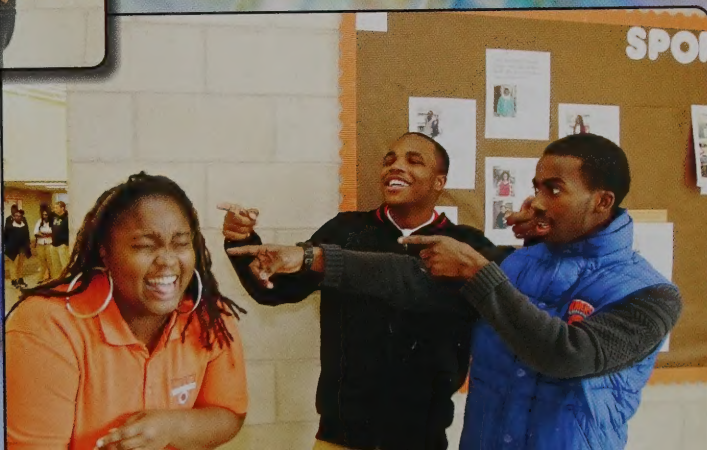
**Class Clown:
Aliza Rattray
&
Omar Ballard**



**Most Talkative:
Yaminah Smith
&
Quamere Whack**



**Most Aggy:
Alize Rattray, Justine Hoff
&
Quameer Whack**



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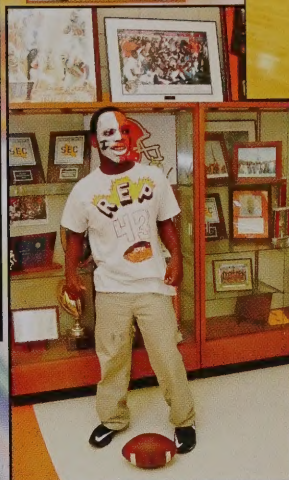
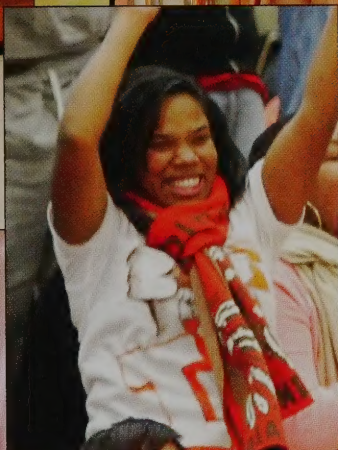
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Most likely to *SUCCEED*
The Class Of 2015



"My hunger for success is fueled by my passion!!"
-Unknown



Most School Spirit:

Chayne Allen &
James Taylor



You've got that smile, that
only heaven can make, I pray
to God everyday, that you keep
that smile.

Best Smile:
Al-liya Harrison &
Omar Ballard



Teacher Superlatives

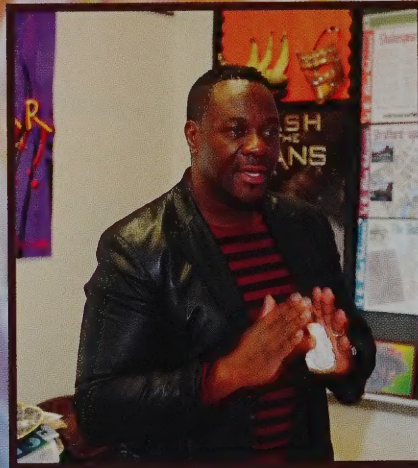


Most Motherly:
Ms. Poole

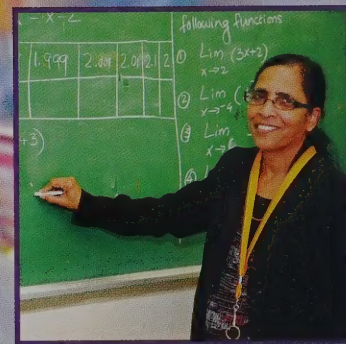
Most Aggy:
Ms. Gour



Most Difficult Test,
Most Homework:
Mr. Hylton



Quick to Hike:
Mr. White



Most Challenging Class:
Ms. Thomas



Coolest Teacher,
Most Athletic:
Mr. Caffrey



Most Inspiring:
Mr. Healy



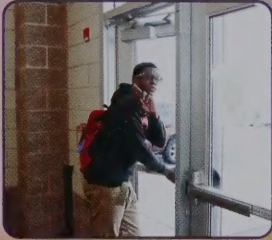
Toughest Grader:
Mr. Snead



Coolest Teacher,
Most Athletic,
Most Intresting:
Ms. Sanders

Superlative Runner-Ups

MIA: Yasir Everette



Funniest Laugh:
Michael McGibbon,
Ny'azhia Davis,
Chayne Allen



Most Talented:
Michael McGibbon &
Jada Solomon



**Creative
Hairstyle:**
Hanna Hutchins



Most Aggy:
Janorris Preston



Shoe Game:
Shaquan Gordon & Muneerah
Thomas



Most Athletic:
Taj Jones

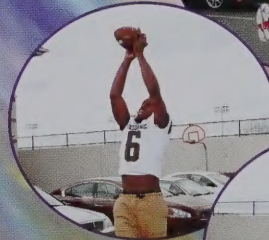


Selfie King: Keyon Terry



Class Clown:
Ameenah Danmole

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Biggest Flirt:

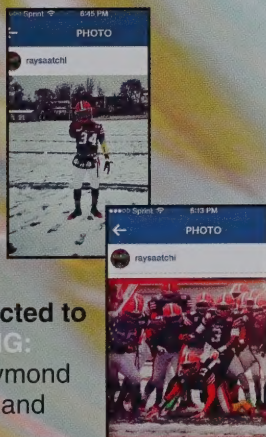


Gerran Pitman &
Rasheedah Grant

Most Attractive:
Jeddah Cousar &
Dorian Carruthers



**Addicted to
IG:**
Raymond
Rand



Most Creative Uniform:
Rasheedah Grant



Bookworm:
Jeddah Cousar &
Michael McGibbon



Best Smile:
Jennifer Sarapefio

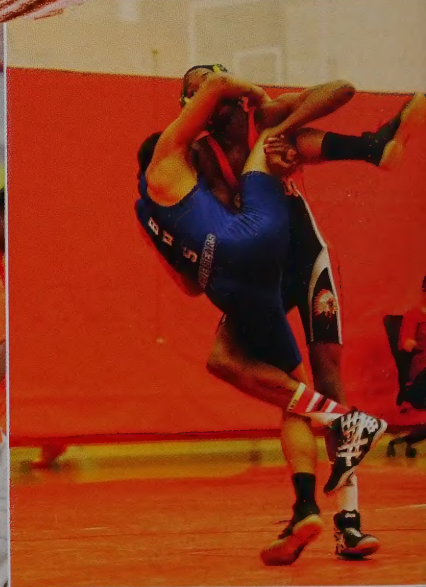




POWER

Just play, have fun, enjoy
the GAME!

- Michael Jordan





Softball



Mr. A. Timmons

With every good team, there's a Great Coach.

!! Play for the name in the front of the jersey, not the back. !!



"Over my four years of playing softball, I have seen the team change for the better, our team wasn't just a group of girls, was a group of sisters... we formed a family and bond."
-Dominique Jarrell

Lady Indians



Everyone wants to be an Indian, but does not have the passion or strength.

There's nothing **soft** about Softball!!
!



Fast Ball!!!

Forget the glass slippers, these princesses wear cleats.



Meet Our Senior Leaders



Dominique Jarrell



Devonae Cunningham



Langiwulo Allen



Jonbenet Darby-Vanover

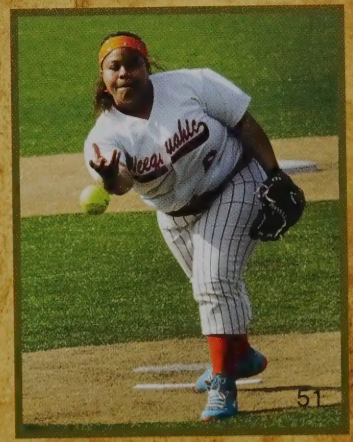
"We're just waiting for a team that can actually beat us".
- Lady Indians



"About to load all bases."



"Let me strike you out!"



BOYS INDOOR TRACK

Eat, Sleep, Run,

REPEAT

Senior Stars:

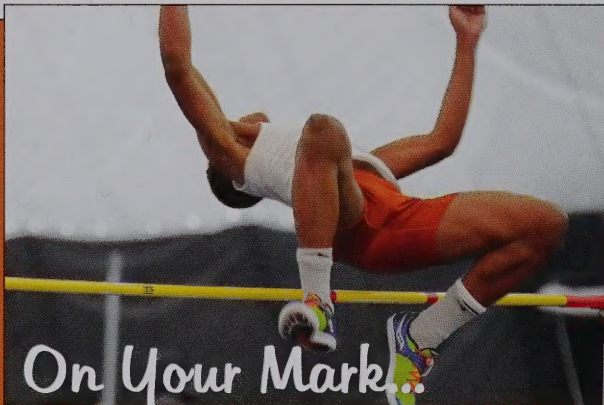
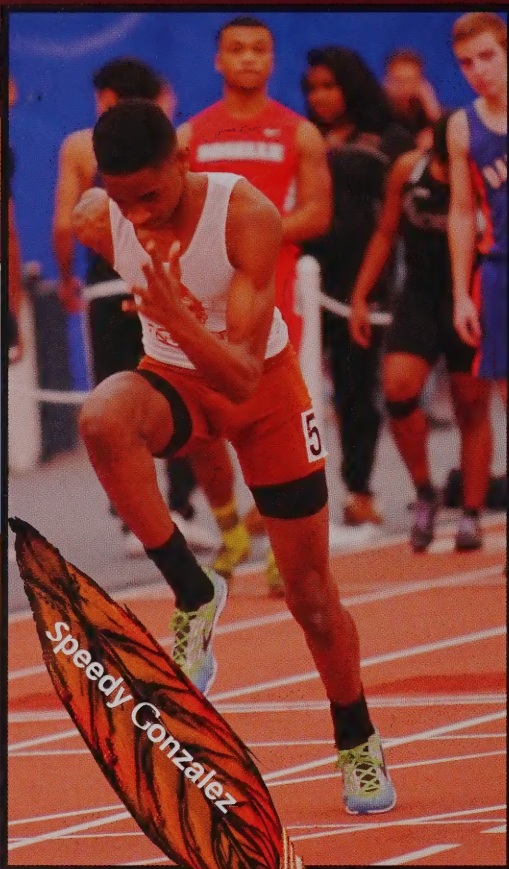
Nasir Cooper

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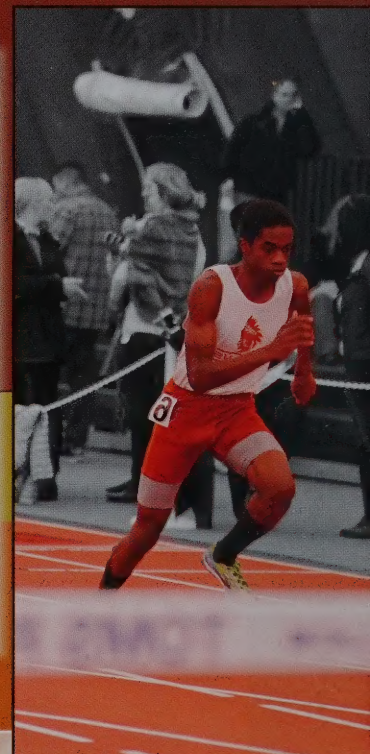
Shaheed Sanders



"Don't think about the **Start of the Race**, think about the **End.**"

- Usain Bolt, World Reknown Track Phenom

Record-Winners...



Flashback...
Track 2014



GIRLS INDOOR TRACK

Power

Every morning in Africa, a gazelle wakes up. It knows it must run faster than the lion or it will be killed. Every morning a lion wakes up. It knows it must outrun the slowest gazelle or it will starve to death. It doesn't matter whether you're a lion or gazelle. When the sun comes up you'd better be running."
Unknown

Get Set...



Senior Stars:
Saborrah Cooper
Chavelle Hunte
Kellyann James
Yaminah Smith



We RAN, We Sweat, We WON...



Flashback.. Track
2014



GO!

WEEQUAHIC GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM



Fake
Right

Break
Left



Senior Line Up:
Hafeeza Causey
Shontel Gillespie
Amatullah
Johnson
Sahara Bateman
Nadiyya Chase



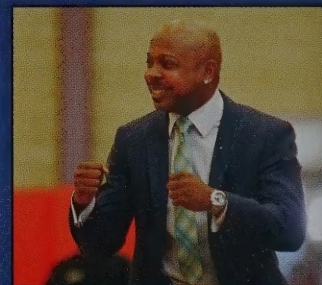
"Double pass to teammate"



"Grabbing all boards"



"Ballers, shot caller"



The Many Faces of
Coach Baraka

"We might be **BEAUTIES** but we
Play like **BEAST!**"



"P" for Lifel



Weequahic Lady
Indians Always Rise
Against Our
Opponents!



Amatullah Johnson

Senior Captain, Center

"To be around the sport I love and to be around a bunch of girls that are hungry for the game like you are is wonderful...at the end of the day there's NO T in TEAM."



Shontel Gillespie

Senior, Co-Captain, PG/SG

"I enjoyed playing basketball throughout my high school career. As a team we have experienced ups and downs, but at the end of the day we were a family on the court."



Sahara Bateman

Senior, Shooting Guard

"Although there were many differences throughout the season, we came together in an attempt to accomplish a common goal."



Proud mom and athlete



Cheering for Senior Night



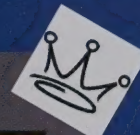
Award winners...

Queens of the Court

With high hopes, the Varsity team stayed positive and continued to grow as a family throughout the season. With this team working together, they stayed strong and made many new memories that would last a lifetime. These memories include pep rallies, rivalry games, and passionate play. No one can deny that these girls really were the queens of the court, proving that the lady Indians are not a force to be reckoned with. IP



Coach Baraka, Assistant Coach Cornelius, Victoria Rowe, Keyshawna Smith-White, Amatullah Johnson, Hafeezah Causey, Naddiyah Chase, Assistant Coach Chase Tanajah Jones, Najah Johnson, Shontel Gillespie, Sahara Bateman



We
are
about
that
LIFE!

Weequahic Girls Volleyball

Pass your expectation! Set the standard! Kill the competition!

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** I'm going to miss you guys!
It feels weird knowing we're
not going to be playng
together anymore. -
Captian LaQuanda Vincent*



** This was more than just a
team, it was a sisterhood
and I love my sisters. I will
truely miss you guys. -
Captian Dominique Jarrell*





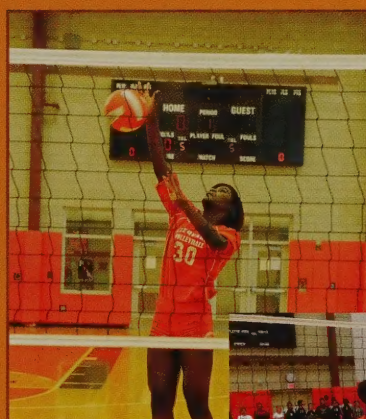
You have dedicated precious time and energy to develop and improve your craft. You have cried tears of joy, anger, happiness, and disappointment. You have created friendships that developed into sisterhood. I encourage you to maintain this passion, those emotions, those friendships, and ultimately the desire to be great! I wish you all the best! -Curey :)



**To an awesome group of young ladies that welcomed me to their team, I thank you. The past two seasons were a joy and a pleasure. Continue to be great like I know you will be. Love always, Coach Sandy*

Volleyball isn't all about the score, it's more about the speed, energy and momentum of the game. It's about the intense practice, repetitive drills, and the looks your coaches give you. But most importantly, the goal of the game is to have your teammates become your family.

-Sen. Chayne Allen



ACE

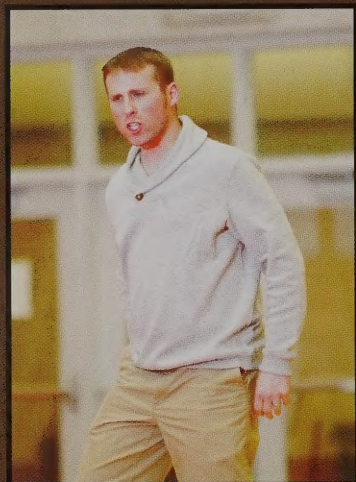
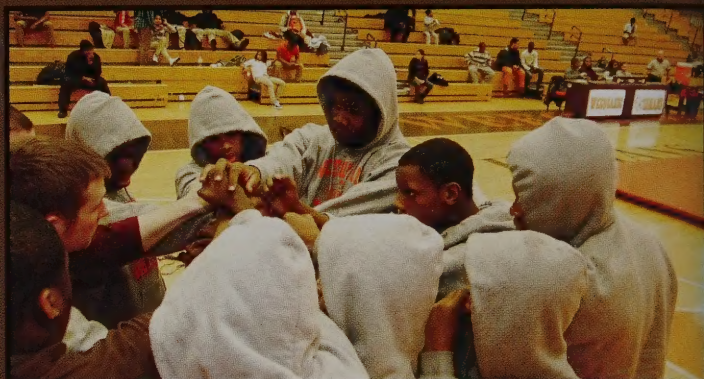
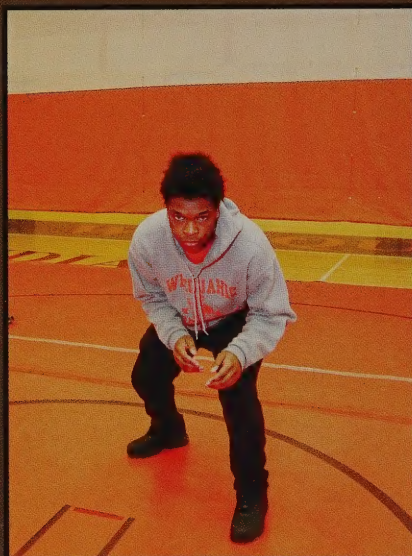


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Weequahic Wrestling

What's a
team without
its coaches...

Meet The
Coaches...

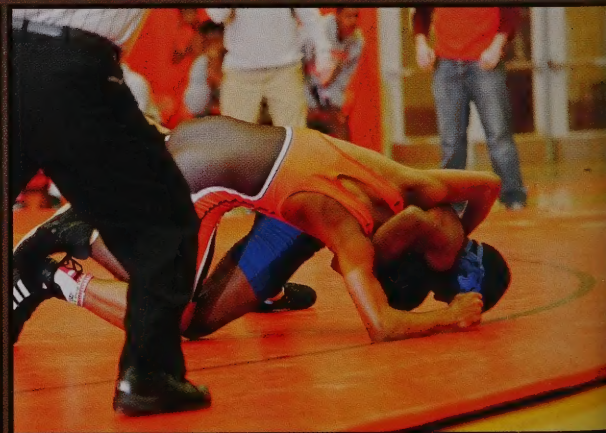
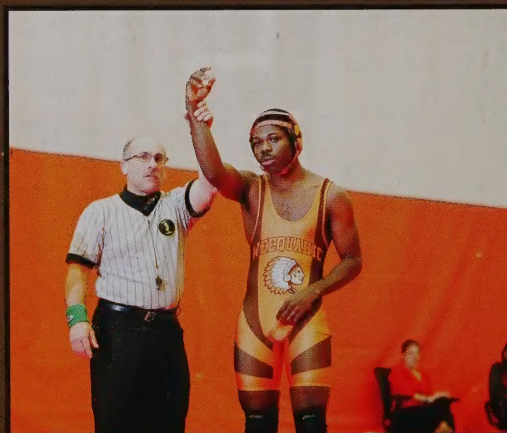
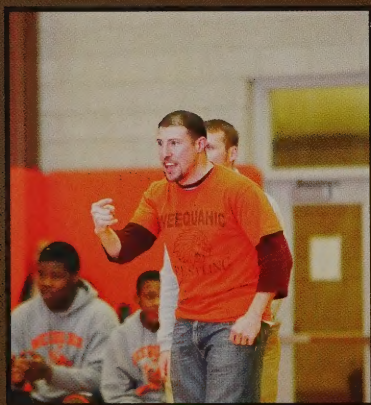
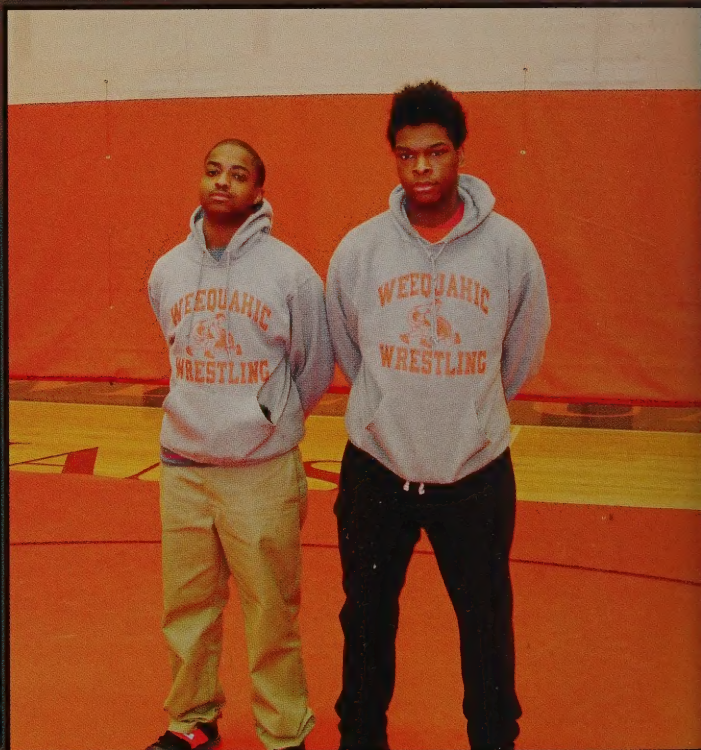


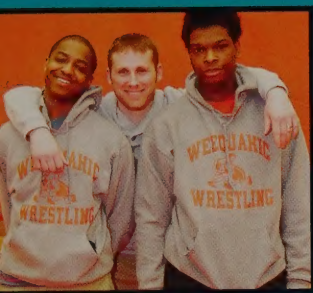
Mr. R. Caffrey

Senior
Wrestlers:

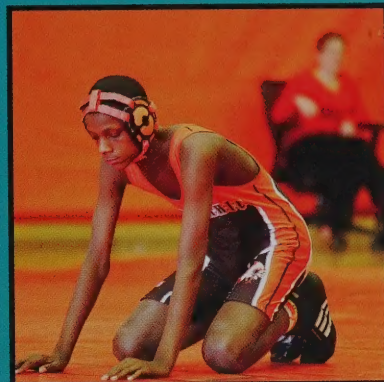
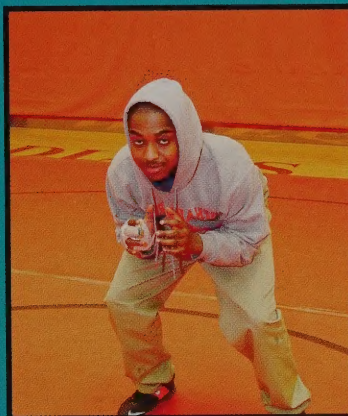
Mahdee
Johnson

Brian Wallace





"Wrestling is ballet with violence"
-Jesse Ventura



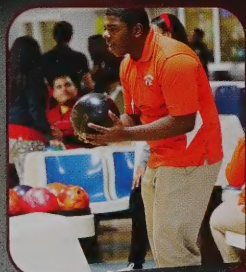
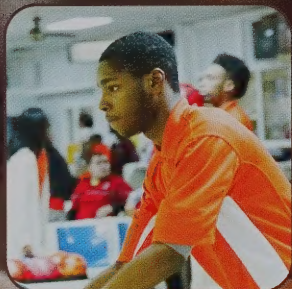
"There's no drama like wrestling"

- Andy Kaufman

THE BOWLING TEAM 2015

Senior Stars:

Langiwulo Allen
Alize Rattray
Asia Jeter
Tasean Finkly
Nasir Alston



"KNOCKING THEM DOWN, ONE
PIN AT A TIME!"

-Nasir Alston

The making of champions! One pin at a time . . .

WEEQUAHIC BOY'S VARSITY BASKETBALL



" We work as a team, we play as a team. It can kind of get tiring being with each other all the time, but we get through it and over come our differences".



Ball is **LIFE**



Senior Flashback...

Pass, Dribble, Shoot

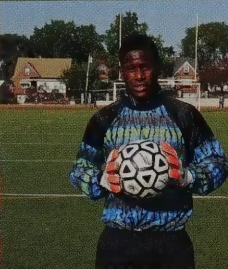


Coach D. Bellani
and
Assistant Coach E. Chimenzie





Emmitt Smith



Rondell Hamer



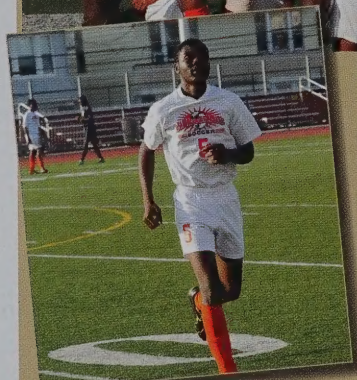
Lincoln Brown



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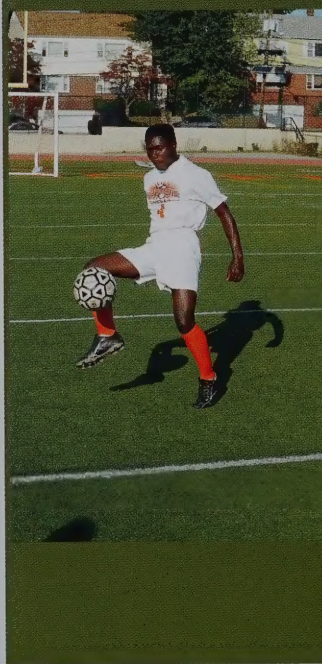


Blood clots. Bone heal.
Tears dry. Suck it up, its
just soccer!



" As a goalkeeper I believe a penalty is a
cowardly way to score"
- Rondell Hamer

Our Opponents



MXS
Central
Arts
Barringer
Orange
North 13th
West Side
Golda Och
Christ the King
Science Park
East Orange
Cedar Grove

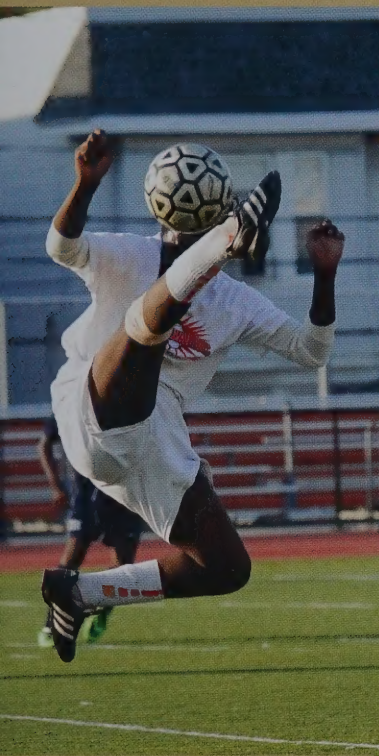


Ligel Bankston

Dorian Carruther

Trevone Marshall

Joseph Oduro



Head Coach: Mr. R. Hylton



Coach Hylton was asked to describe a time that his team exhibited Indian Pride. Here's what he had to say:

"We were playing Orange High School on a pristine field near the underbelly of Orange Park. This was an amazing game and although Orange won that game by one point, the adulations given by the opposing coaches were empowering. It gave us much needed confidence for the rest of the season. Goodbye Team. You all will be missed..."

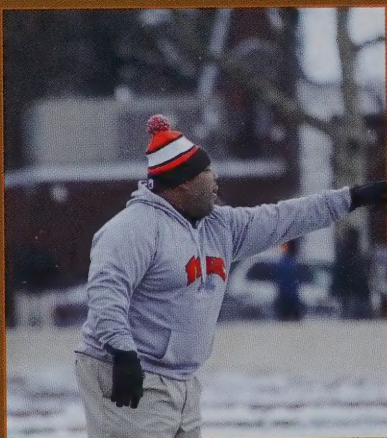
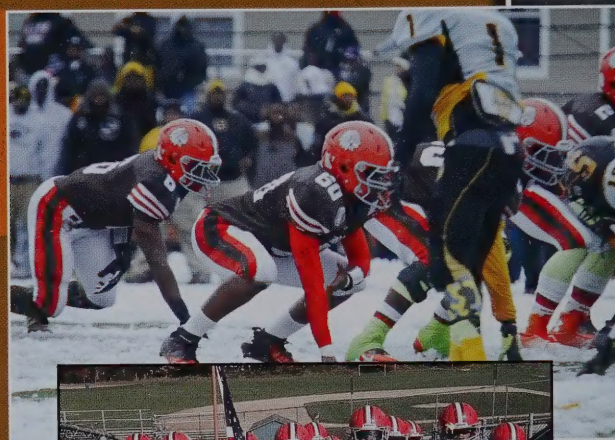


" If you ask why i play soccer, i ask you why do you breathe"
-Unknown

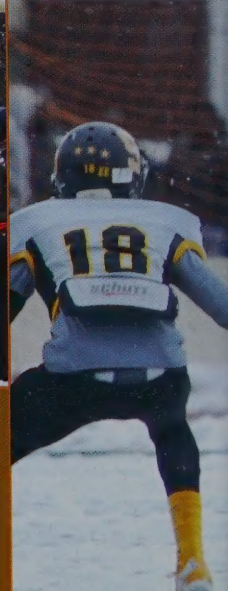
Tackle 'Em'

"Some coaches make great players. I'm more focused on making great men. If they play the game of life as well as they strategize, commit, and execute plays on the field, then and only then am I a great coach."

Coach Logan Sr.



"Football is unconditional love"
-Tom Brady



SOUL BOWL 2015
WEEQUAHIC DEFEATS SHABAZZ



They're my brothers for life from the summer day to the friday nights, we've perservered through wins and loses and grew into stronger Indians.

- Mahdee Johnson



Senior Players:



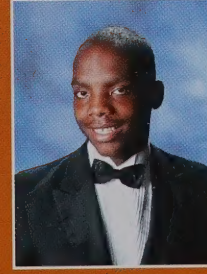
Raymond Rand



Taj Jones



Mahdee Johnson



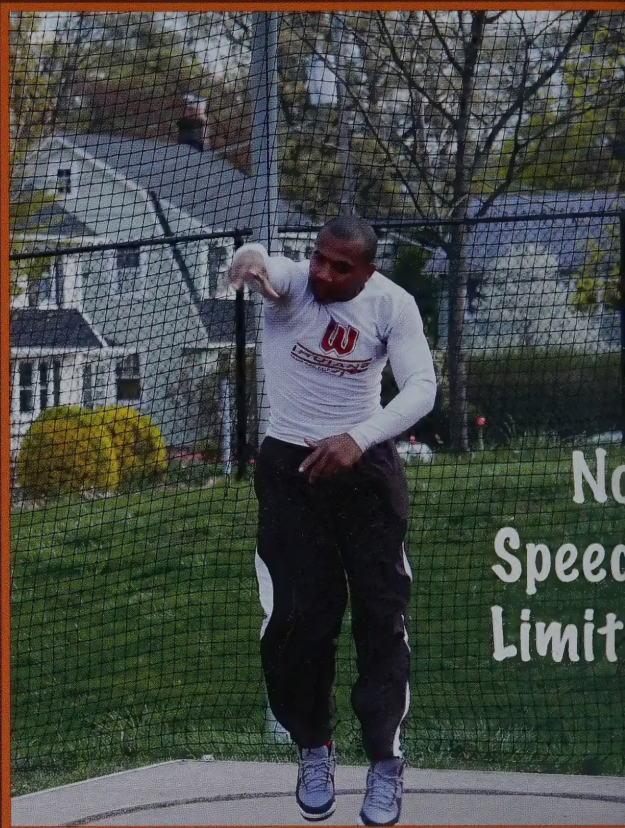
James Taylor



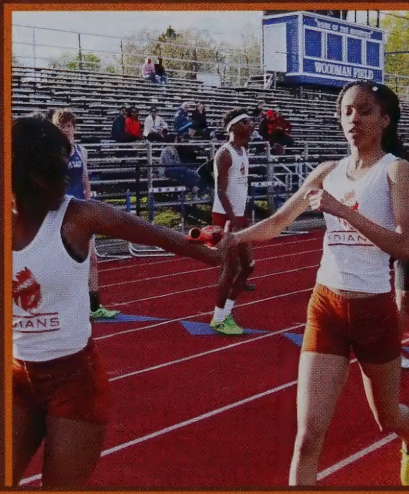
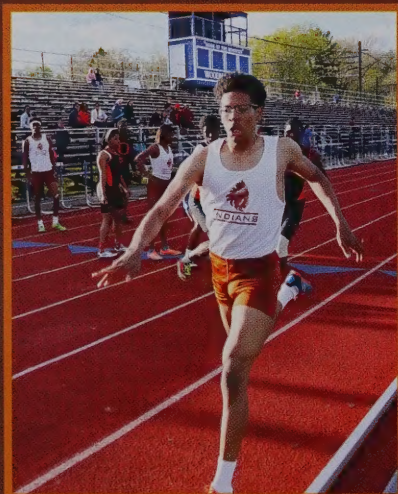
Alkadir Ports

The harder we work,
the harder it is to lose.

Weequahic's Girls & Boys Outdoor Track Team

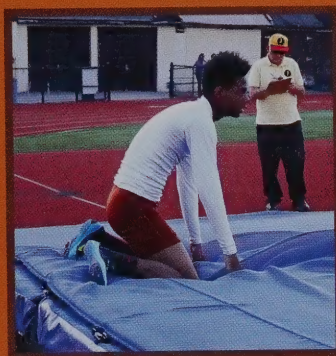
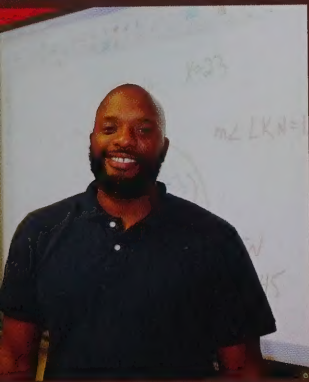


"It's nothing like getting a head start with your goals!!"



"Team work makes the dream work."

Track Nation!!!



"I wish I can describe these athletes in a few words but the truth is I just can't. They surpass my expectations each and every time we hit the track."
-Coach Zahir

1st Place Winner In Sectional Championship: Yaminah Smith



"I could remember it like it was yesterday, walking in the hallway and being stopped by Coach Zahir. He asked me to come out and run track, of course I jumped at the opportunity. Joining the team was one of the best things I've done, Coach Zahir is such an amazing person, he has helped me to achieve numerous goals, and he's like a second father. I can't thank him enough for believing in me and motivating me".



"Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard."
-Stacy Jones, a musician.



Baseball is like church. Many attend few understand. - Unknown



Meet The Coach

Mr. J. Alvarez

"Baseball was, is and will always be the best game in the world".
- Babe Ruth

Real Teams Stretch



An ALL-STAR TEAM
Living the Dream

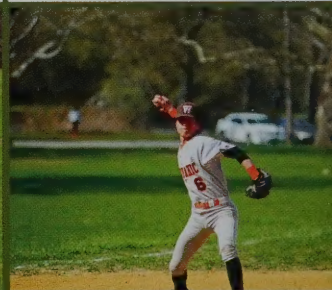
we only can
be us!!!



Technically I'm not
stealing the base
because I own the
field!!!

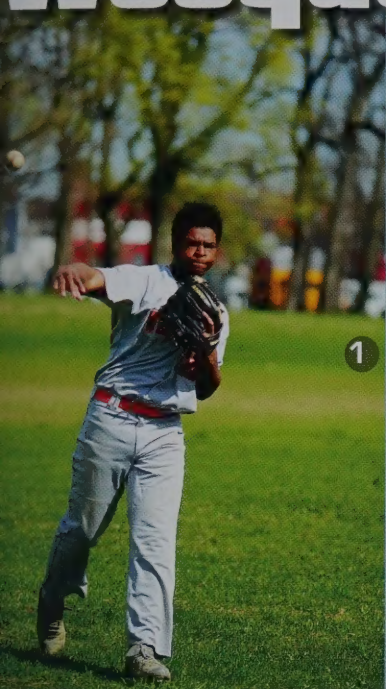


Only We Can Make It Happen



I don't want to play golf. When I hit the ball, I want someone else to chase it.

Weequahic Baseball Team



"Being an Indian means you have to have heart because other teams are coming for you."

-Brian Wallace



Only the strongest can win and that's exactly what we are; strong winners!

-The Baseball Team

When you give it your all, you win it all!!!

Team Motto



Watch that fast ball coming towards you !



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

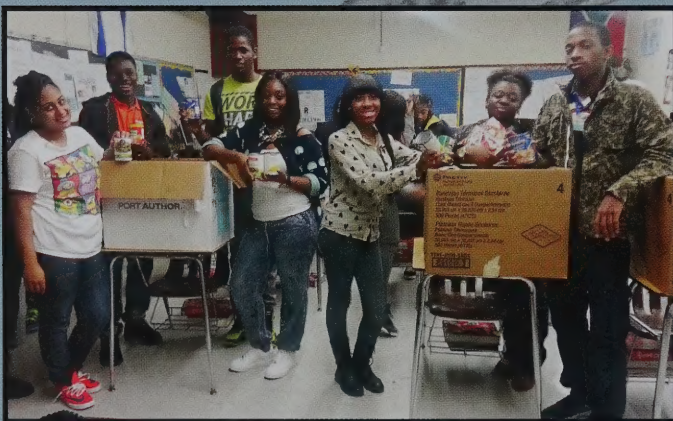


Shakyya Alford-Col
Shontia Council
Jeddah Cousar
Ameerah Godbolt
Rondell Hammer
Michael McGibbon
Daireny Pena

National Honor Society is more than just an Honor Roll. It is about prosessing certain pillars of excellence - Character, Scholarship, Leadership, and Service; striving to help students improve in all four areas.

The National Honor Society teaches our scholars that there is more to life than being intellegnet. it's about being well-rounded and being capable of displaying those pillars of excellence. During the year of 2015 the National Honor Society has given back to the community in order to better themselves and help better others. As time progressed, our scholars progressed in being more than just a scholar. We congratulate these scholars in possesing and acquiring the knowledge of being more than just students.

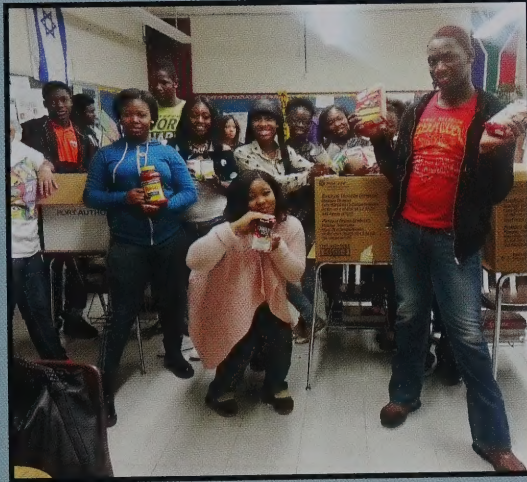
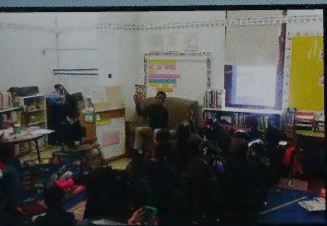
Leadership



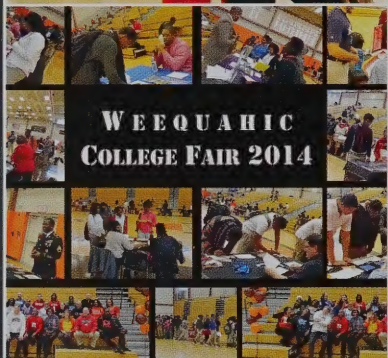
Preparing Thanksgiving Gift Baskets



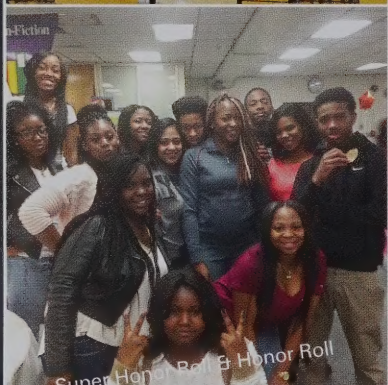
Gift Exchange at South 17th Street School



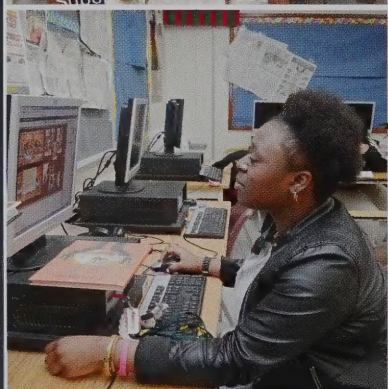
Step-By-Step



WEEQUAHIC
COLLEGE FAIR 2014



Super Hero Roll & Honor Roll



Working hard on the Yearbook



The Future Project

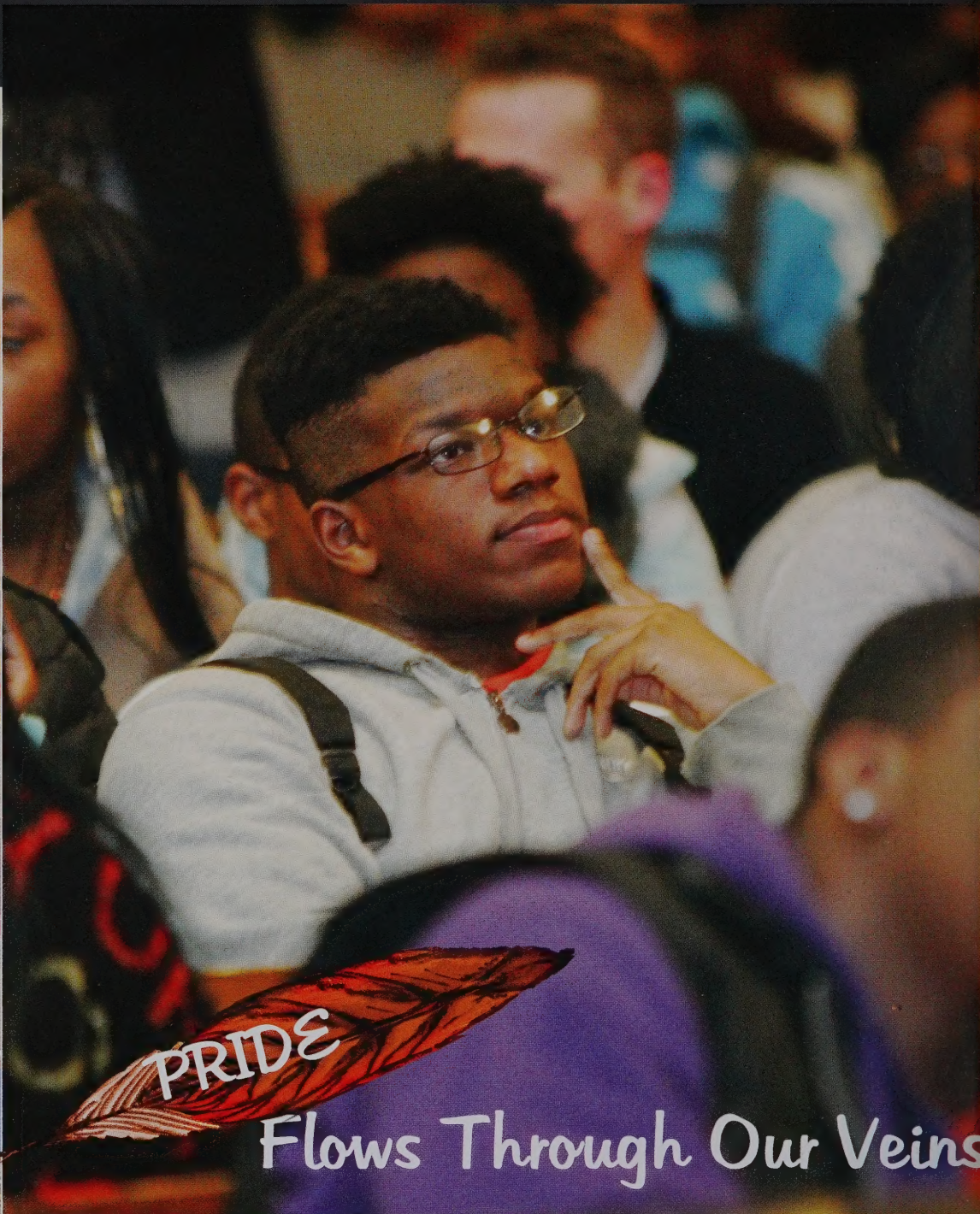


Daniel Denman

Joseph Oduro

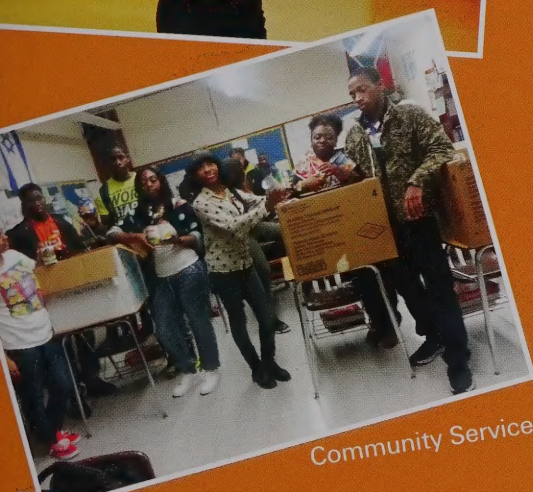


Saborrah Cooper

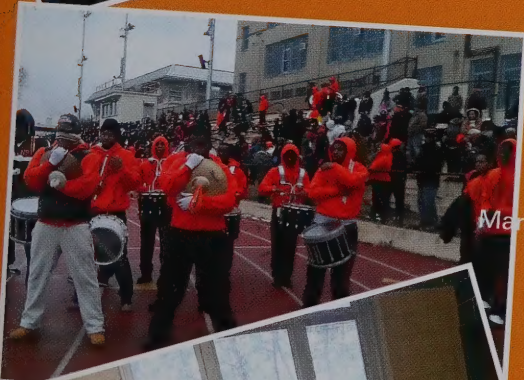


PRIDE

Flows Through Our Veins



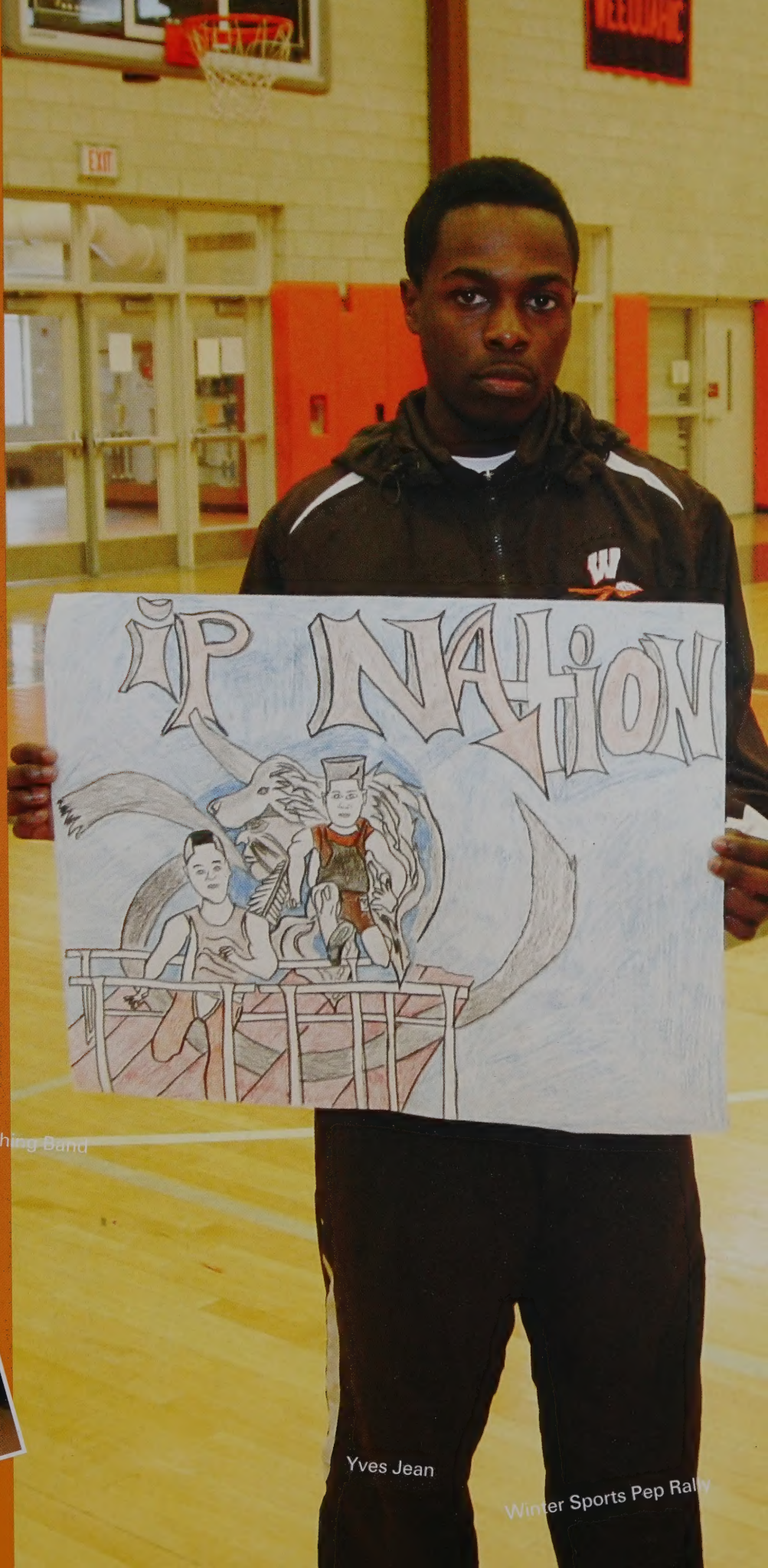
Community Service



Marching Band



Between Sisters



Yves Jean

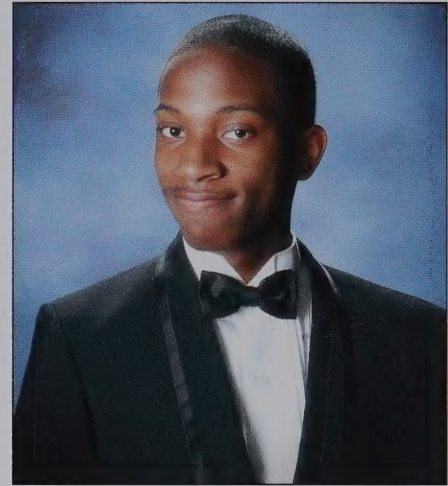
Winter Sports Pep Rally

Senior Class Presidents of 2015



Jeddah Cousar

It seemed like yesterday when we first entered the halls of Weequahic. Fast forward 4 years later and graduation is upon us. The next stage in our lives definitely will separate us, but one thing that will keep us connected is this high school, our Pride, and the fact that we are a part of a great extended family. Cherish the memories, value the experiences, and utilize the knowledge obtained here. The heart of an Indian is one that has pride, one that perseveres, and one that possess the spirit of achievement. Remember to take Indian Pride with you where ever you go!



Michael McGibbon

My fellow Weequahic students, no matter where you go, no matter what you want to be, no matter what goal you want to accomplish, make sure you remember that you can do anything that you put your mind to. We have learned a lot during this short time. Take the lessons and experiences with you as you embark upon this new adventure in life. Keep hope and good luck. In the words of a true Indian. IP!

Executive Chairpersons

Jeddah Cousar, President

Michael McGibbon, VP

Shakyya Alford-Cole, Secretary

Chayne Allen, Treasurer

Shontia Council, Liason

Alizee Rattray,

Seargent At Arms

Brianna Brown,

Executive Liason



Ms. Keya Sanders, Class of 2015 Advisor



DID YOU KNOW?

Ms. Sanders is a...
Newark Native
Graduate of
Shabazz High School & Kean
University
Class Advisor for 2015, 2014, 2011,
2005



Influential, Pride, Inspirational, Passionate, Iconic



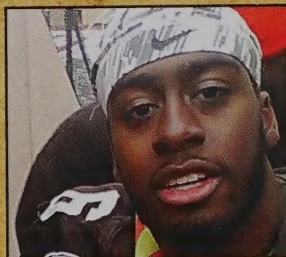
Ms. Sanders is Influential because she always helped me stay on track!"
-Amatullah Johnson



"I think Orange and Brown flows through Ms. Sanders' veins. She represents Weequahic to the fullest, not just in what she wears, but in her attitude and service to us."
-Bryce Swain



"When I need a laugh or a hug, I can always go to Ms. Sander's class and be greeted with a "Hey Pumpkin". That always puts a smile on my face."
-Brianna Brown



"Sandy is truly passionate about educating the students here at Weequahic. She understands the students of Newark and what it takes for us to succeed."
-Taj Jones



Good teachers are hard to find these days, Ms. Sanders is well respected, knowledgeable, and iconic. She's an icon because many of her students admire and look up to her. Even though they don't want to admit it."
-Muneerah Thomas

Advisor: Ms. Sanders

Members

Alize Rattray, Shontia Council
Shakyya Alford, Jeddah Cousar,
Michael McGibbon, Chayne Allen

Senior Executive Board



Advisor: Ms. Sanders

Members

Morissa Bristow, Zaniyyah Coke,
Janayah Shomari, Jamesha Charlton,
Orlando Riley, Tashona Coleman, Ty-
Jaria Johnson, Zoriah DeVaughn

Drill Team



Advisor: Ms. Poole

Alize Rattray, Rasheedah Grant
Chayne Allen, Shakyya Alford,
Amina Williams, Shontia Council,
Morissa Bristow

Yearbook Committee



EXTRA-CURRICULAR



Advisors: Ms. Reid , Dr. Jumuah

Members

Fabiene Jean Charles, Eloise Djilan,
Naquan Flythe, Delayaniah Florence,
Tamia Cunningham

Community Service



Advisor: Ms. A. Poole

Members

Michael McGibbon, Jeddah Cousar,
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National Honors Society



Advisor: Ms. Hollis

Members

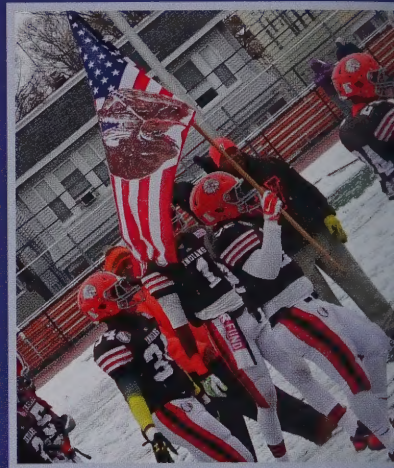
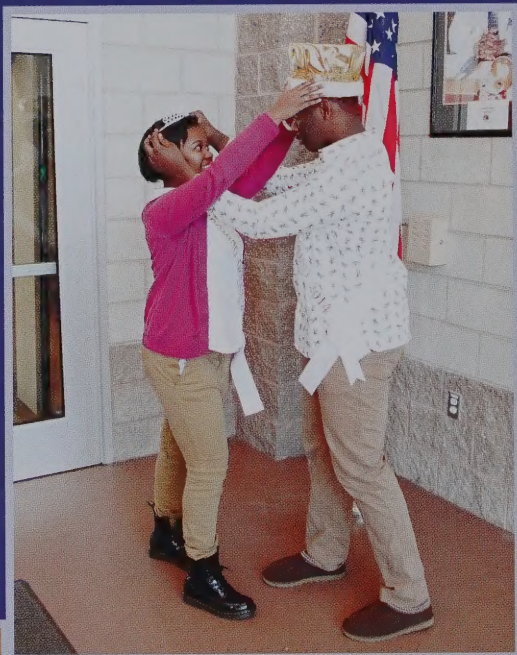
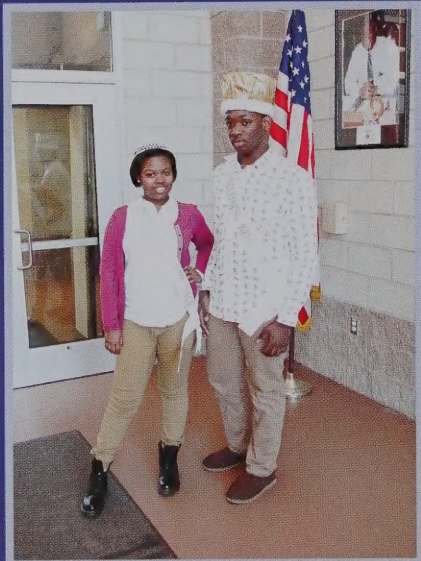
Devonae Cunningham, Muneerah
Thomas, Tamia Cunningham, Jonbenet
Vanover, Rasheedah Grant, Alize Rattray,

Between Sisters

ACTIVITIES



Weequahic Homecoming 2015



"I am honored to represent Weequahic as Homecoming Queen, although I am already ROYALTY."
-Aminah Williams

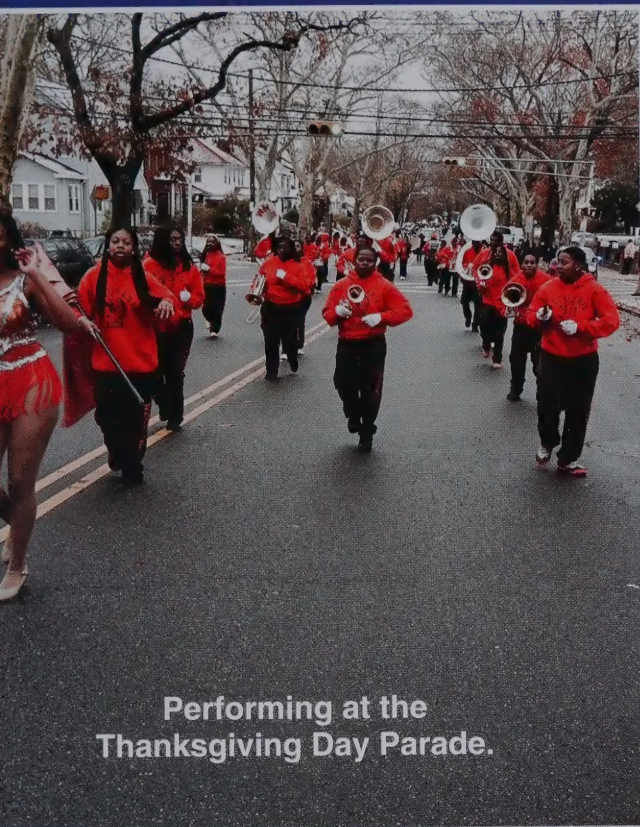
Queen Aminah Williams
&
King Keyon Terry



Soul Bowl 2015

Weequahic Defeats Shabazz Once Again

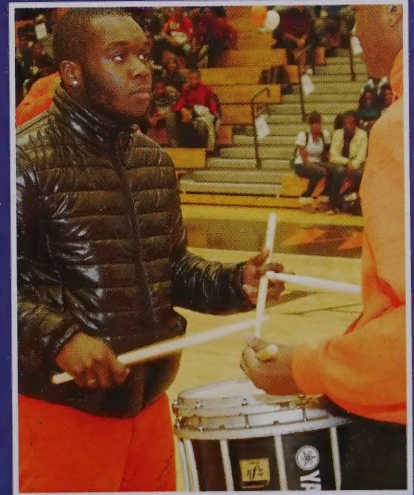
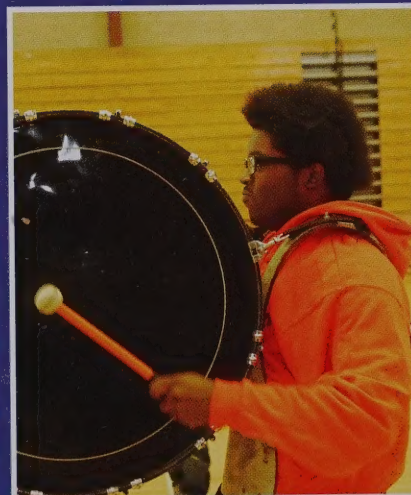
Weequahic High School Marching Band



Performing at the
Thanksgiving Day Parade.



The Baddest band in the land.



"One Band. One Sound."
-Drumline

Who want sauce ?... Didn't think so!!
-Marching Band

**"But first, let me
take a selfie"**
- The Chainsmokers



selfie
self/
noun
informal

1. A photograph that one has taken of oneself, typically one taken with a or webcam and shared via social media.

"Occasional selfies are acceptable, but posting a new picture of yourself everyday isn't necessary"



This was our 3rd annual college and career fair at Weequahic. Students interacted with representatives from local colleges and universities as well as branches of the military. The staff was very supportive of the fair and the students. Many showed up donning their college gear, reminiscing about the "good ole' days."

Our Visitors:

University Of Bridgeport
Rutgers University
Union County College
Bloomfield College
Seton Hall University
College of Saint Elizabeth
Felician College
Caldwell University
Drake College
U.S. Navy
U.S. Army

College Fair 2015



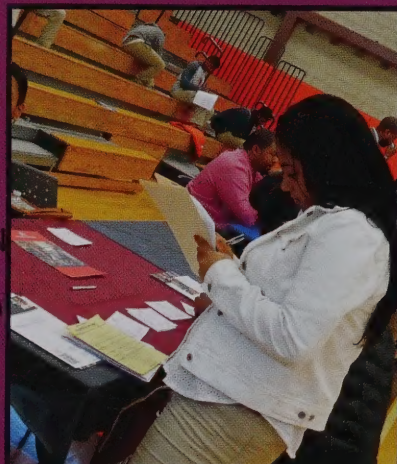
I will be attending Rutgers University this fall.
-Shontia Council



My school of choice is Lehigh University in Pennsylvania.
-Jeddah Cousar



This fall instead of attending your average college I will be taking up a trade to get my LPN at Easwick College.
- Brianna Brown



I will be attending the U.S. military, patriotically serving my country.
-Jamil Cooper

Isaiah and Tariq love the interactive features on the Caldwell's website.



I would love to go to the U.S. Army because it's something I've always wanted to do ...
Serve my country.
- Tevon Elliot



I want to attend New Jersey City University because I want to experience my first year in my hometown New Jersey then re-apply to Georgetown for the rest of my college experience.

-Mahdee Johnson

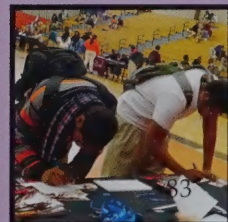


I want to attend Kean University because I believe this is the best school for me to accomplish and gain an accountant degree.
- Trevone Marshall



Can you guess which college most of the staff attended?

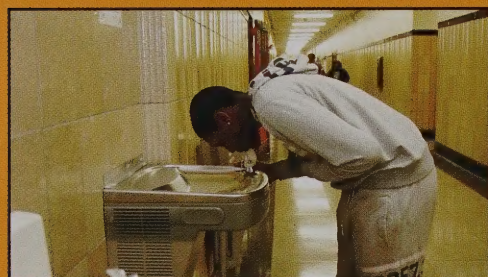
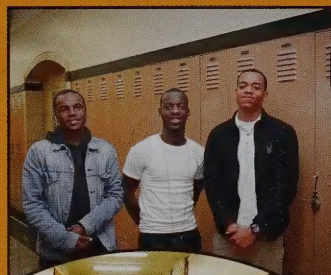
Bruce completes an application on the spot.



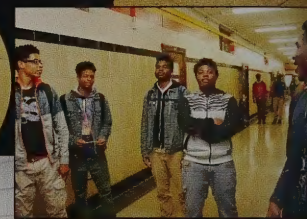
Senior Lifestyle

A few hallway poses wouldn't hurt, right?

"30 Seconds to get to class" -Mr. Pollard



Drinking water to stall time...



Drive It to the Hoop!

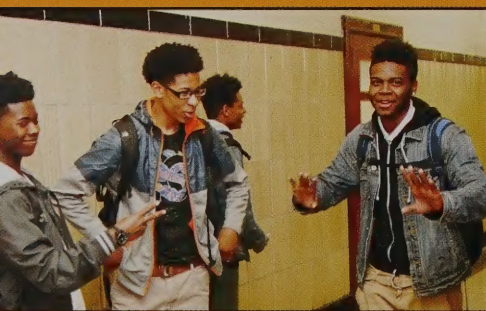


Playing around behind Snead's back!



Hold On!
Let Me Get Ready!

Lunch Might Be Nasty But,
Enjoying It With Friends Makes
it Alright.



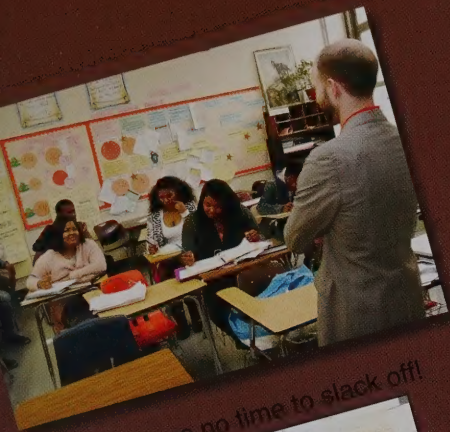
SQUAAADDD!

We have a Sub WHERE?!



Picture Her Tomorrow!

Indians at Work



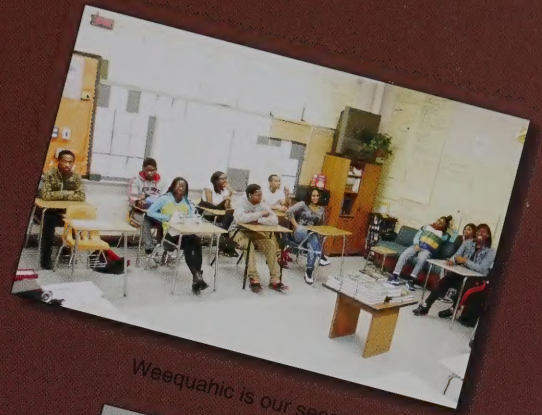
Senior year means no time to slack off!



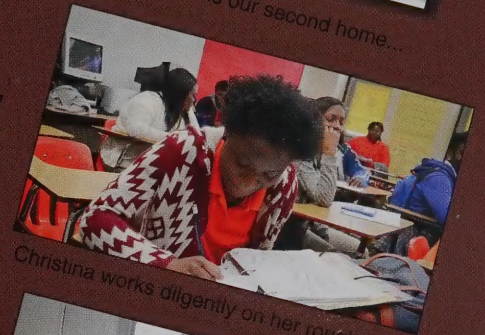
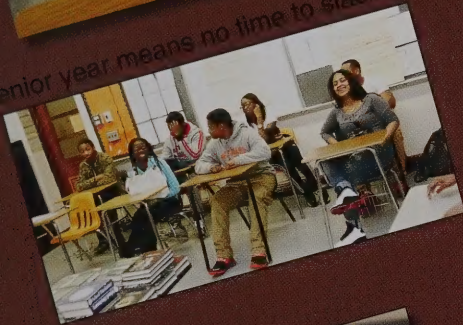
A few teachable moments

"Education is the key to success in life, and teachers make a lasting impact in the lives of their students."

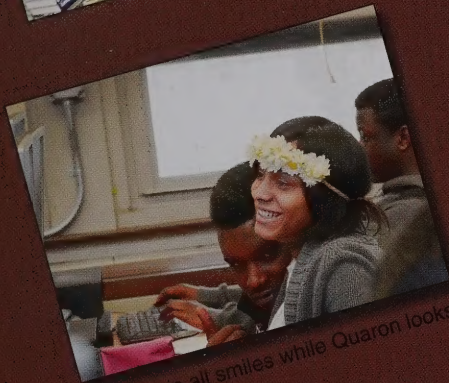
-Solomon Ortiz



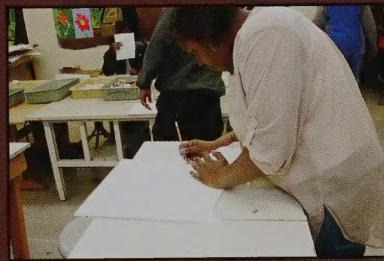
Weequahic is our second home...



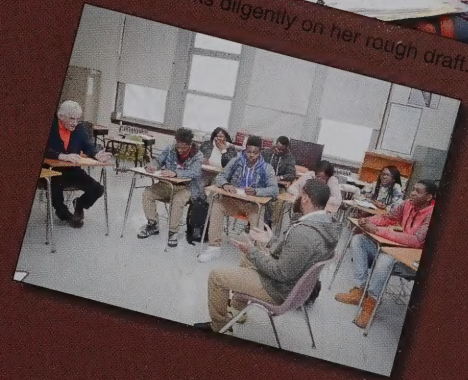
Christina works diligently on her rough draft.



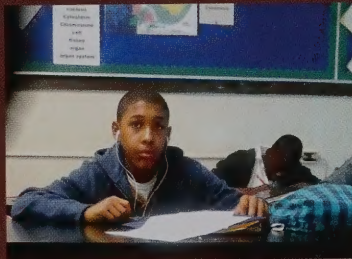
Tammy is all smiles while Quaron looks on..



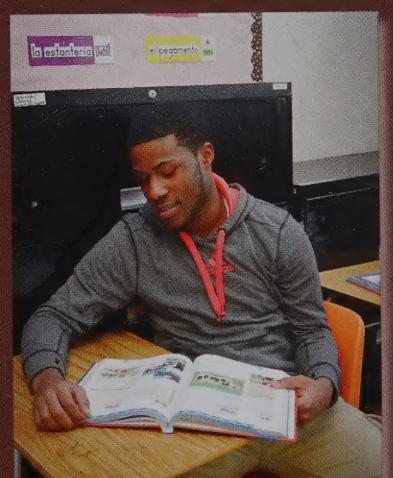
Donald reads one of his favorite books.



"I'm ready to graduate already!"
-Ny-Azha D.



Quamir listening to some beats, before the new electronic device policy kicked in!



"I actually think about more things than football."
-Alkadir Ports

"The heart of an Indian is about perseverance, endurance, and being proud of your community. Coupled with knowledge and experience, nothing can stop of Power!"

-The Class Of 2015

Lights Out!

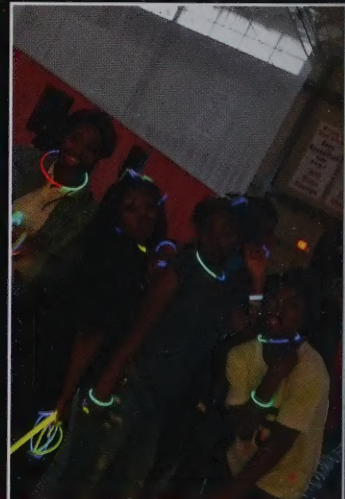
"Ain't no party like a Weequahic party!"
- Class of 2015



We may have our differences sometimes, but the senior class threw a banging party. The way only Indians could!!!
- Class of 2015



"A little party never hurt nobody".

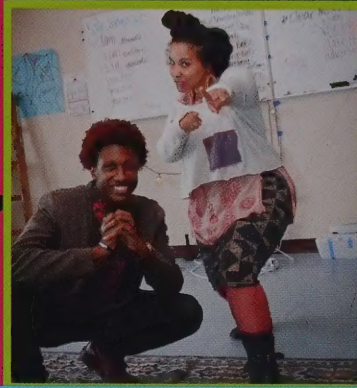


Best Party I've ever been to!
-Tatiana Rean

Party was really LIT !!
- Ishmel Thomas

"When the lights went out, we glowed up."

The Future Project...

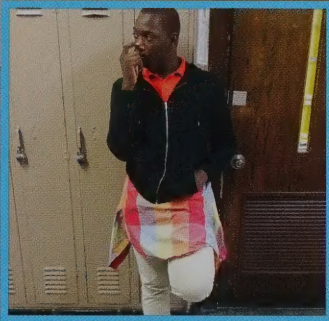


The Future Project is a national movement to make America dream again. We believe inspired young people have the power to transform our nation's future.
-The Future Project's Team



I wish I have participated in Future Project before my senior year, it was a wonderful experience... Thanks Chop!!

-Shakyia Alford-Cole



Our Future...



Psychologist
-LaQuanda V.

Nursing
-Joseph O.



Being inspirational.
-Nasir A.



Become Lawyer.
-Isaha B.



To go to the Air Force.
-Naida S.



We may all have different goals and things we want to do in life but we all know for sure that each and everyone of us will be successful. - Senior Class

I plan to attend Felician College in the Fall.
-Daireny P.



2015 Candid Shots...

School Dayz

Students sometime make better teachers.



Individuality
Being an individual amongst a Tribe can be difficult

Pictured: Destiny



A Family Affair
Our Tribe is an extended family.

Pictured: Brian, Ms. Poole, and Chayne



Lasting Friendships

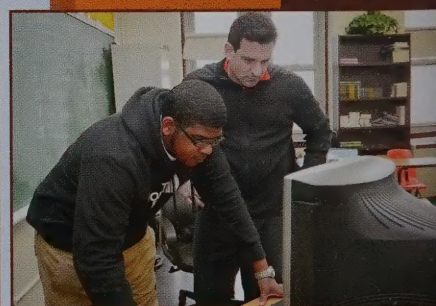
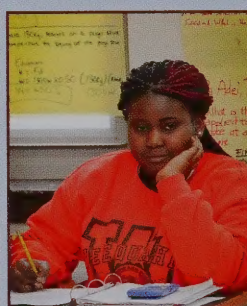
Pictured: Langivulo and Dominique



Hanging Out in the Halls

You maybe liable to find the craziest things taking place in the hallway of an Indian.

Pictured: Muneerah, Bruce, Jeddah, and Dominique

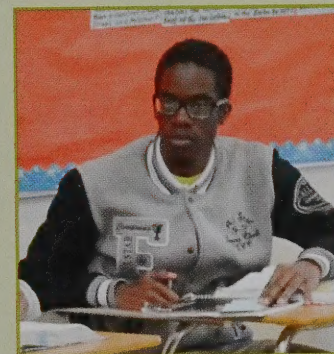
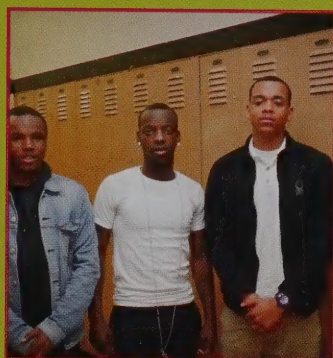




Indian Pride

As separate individuals, each student expressed their definitive qualities in their own unique way. Whether it was in the North Cafe, the New Gym, or on Unterman Field, we gave personality to the definition of **INDIAN PRIDE**.

Not only an Individual, but a CROWD

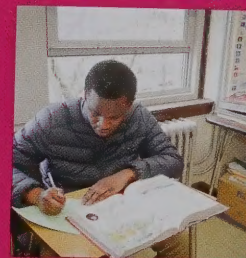


#PhotoBombed

Never a dull moment in between classes.

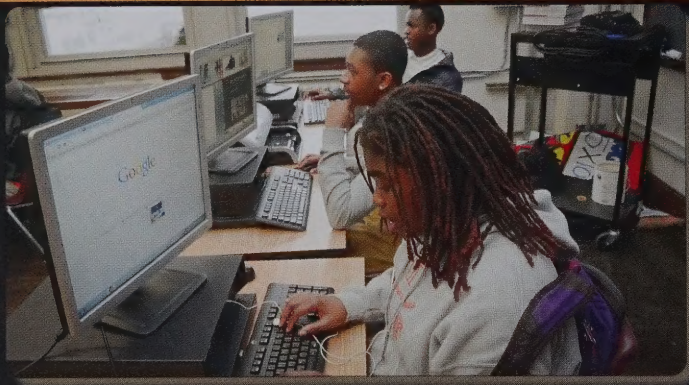
Pictured: Amirah, Christina, Ms. Gray

"I wish you all the best of success in your future endeavors and always continue to learn and grow, for knowledge will always rule ignorance."
-Mr. Westberry
Former Athletic Director



INTERVIEW WITH AN INDIAN..

The Yearbook staff sat down to speak to some Indians about their High School experiences.



How would you like to be remembered?

- I would like to be remembered for my my crazy dancing all the time and for being funny.

Who were you most likly to sit with in the cafe?

- Jaimeerah, Daisha, Tammy, Shaquedah, and Langi

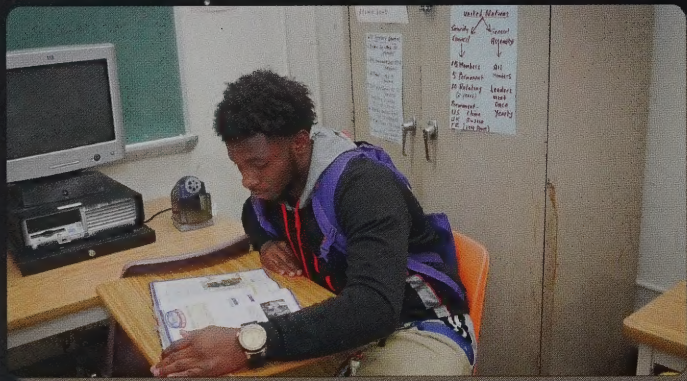


What does "Indian Pride" mean to you?

- It means to never give up and to reach your goals.

Favorite Snackers:

- Any pair of Jordans



Favorite rapper:

-Biggie

What does "Indian Pride" mean to you?

-Pride means what you stand for at Weequahie..



How would you like to be remembered?

-Shontia, Brianna, Shakyya, Amirah, Daireny Josiah, Christina and Chayne..

Where did you chill or hang out at on the weekends?

-Home and the Mosque



What does "Indian Pride" mean to you?

-It means to Be strong, never give up.

Song that you bumped to before school:

- Tupac "keep your head up"



How would you like to be remembered?

- I would like to be remembered for being quiet.

Who were you most likely to sit with in the cafe?

- Isaha and Treyvon



Who supported you the most during your high school career?
 - My track coach Mr. Zahir supported me the most

Who is your Favorite Rapper?
 Nicki Minaj



How would you like to be remembered?
 -To be remembered as the youngest senior to graduate.

Song that you bumped to before school:
 -Jay Park " Girlfriend"



How would you like to be remembered?

- I would like to be remembered as the captain of the Weequahic soccer team who took the team to states.

What does Indian Pride mean to you?
 -To be proud of Weequahic High School



Where did you chill or hang out at on the weekends?
 -"The shop" or at a family members house .

How would you like to be remembered?
 -As the 'celeb' of Weequahic



Who are you most likely to sit next to in the cafe?
 -Rose Martinez

Who supported you the most during your high school career and what would you like to say to them?
 -Ms. Gray. "Thank You for your support."

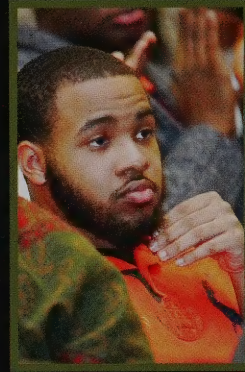


How would you like to be remembered?
 - I would like to be remembered for being goofy.

What does "Indian Pride" mean to you?
 - It means being loyal to your school

#BlackLivesMatter

Black Lives Matter is primarily an African American movement and social media hastag (#Blacklivesmatter) that began July 2013 after the acquittal of George Zimmerman in the shooting death of unarmed teenager, Trayvon Martin. During Black history month 2015 the Weequahic community adopted the mantra as the theme and held a panel discussion with prominent community members to discuss the plight of the Black community.



Bryce sits in the audience while taking it all in.



Senior Tyasia Brown served as a student panelists.

Recently many lives in Baltimore were affected by protests and rioting in response to the death of yet another African American man, *Freddie Gray*. Gray suffered fatal injuries while in police custody. The people of Baltimore showed that #Blacklivematter by taking to the streets and demanding justice. We, too, believe that enough is enough!



Mayor Baraka shows his IP spirit as a panelists.



Shawn poses a question to the Mayor.



Arshod listens intently to the panelists' claims.



Stay focused and determined
Langiwulo and Asia



Rest in peace to the African American individuals who lives were lost in the recent years to horrible violence and police brutality: Michael Brown, Trayvon Martin, Eric Garner, Freddie Gray, Kimani Gray, Ramarley Graham, Ervin Jefferson, Kendrec McDade and to the others.





Selma, The March To Our Freedom

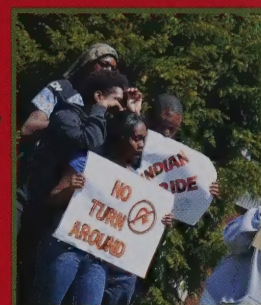


From Martin Luther King Jr. marching along with others for the freedom of African Americans to America having our first African American President Barack Obama



AMERICA THEN

After watching Selma and learning about civil disobedience, it motivated us to protest for certain rights! (Pictured: On the far right) Students participated in a school wide protest in the Spring.



AMERICA NOW



"Selma was hearbreaking and inspiring." -DeAndre J.

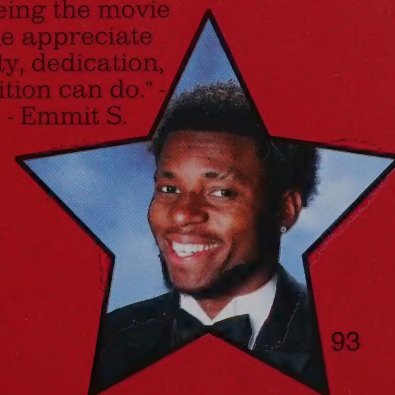
"Selma given me a different view on how hard many people faught for our freedom." - Shakyya A.



"Being able to sit and watch what people have done for me to be where I am now was amazing." - Saborra C.



"Knowing prior information about the Selma march and then finally seeing the movie made me appreciate what unity, dedication, and ambition can do." - Emmet S.



Final Farewells...

"The heart of an Indian is everlasting, faithful and strong. It perseveres, endures, and sustains the test of time. The heart of an Indian is carefree, nurturing, attentive and encouraging. Continuously pushing to persist in obtaining those dreams that once seemed impossible. The heart of an Indian is prideful, competitive and victorious! It is the heart of champions! The heart of an Indian lingers even when it's not physically present. Never forget that each of you bear the heart of an Indian. To my babies, my warriors...The Class of 2015...Ms. Covington wishes you ALL much success and MANY blessings. IPI!"

-Regina Covington, English Teacher/
English Chair



"Indian Pride is school spirit, it gave me the ability to build everlasting relationships with my students! Indian Pride allowed me to take pride in my job and enjoy it so much that it didn't feel like eleven years!"

-Keya Sanders, Health/ Physical Education/
Advisor



"I was blessed to have the opportunity to serve as your Principal during your freshman and sophomore years. Collectively, all of you impacted my life in such a wonderful way and helped me grow as a Principal and as a person."

Your academic journey at Weequahic is almost complete. Hopefully, plans are in place and decisions have been made about future schooling or employment. And, I hope you have the opportunity to reflect on your high school years. Take some time to think about the person you have become. How have your teachers, coaches, counselors friends, or religious leaders affected your life? I trust that your thoughts will enable you to connect your success and sense of accomplishment to many of those individuals who took you by the hand and walked you through this journey. Thanks again for being you and for being such an important part of my life. Congratulations!"

-John Tonero, former Principal

"For some of you volleyball is a passion. And like any other passion, you have dedicated precious time and energy to develop and improve your craft. You have expressed various emotions. You have cried tears of joy, anger, happiness and disappointment. You have created friendships that developed into sisterhood. Finally you have committed yourselves to be better than you once were. I encourage you to maintain this passion, those emotions, those friendships, and ultimately the desire to be great! I wish you all the best!"

-Ms. Cureton, English Teacher/Volleyball Coach



"Being a Weequahic Indian is an attitude. It comes through hardships, struggles, haal swweeps, finding a teacher that has love for you, and people who want to give back to you. Its remembering those who came before you. Weequahic Indians share a sense of pride and privilege. To my graduating seniors please know that success or failure is not defined by how well or how bad you did in high school, but success is defined by the habits and decisions you make..."

-Mr. Timmons, CTE Teacher/ Softball Coach/ Weequahic Alum



"It was a pleasure teaching you and seeing you develop over the 3 years that I taught at Weequahic. I really miss seeing your faces in the corridor. Well done to all of you! I know that it was not always easy, but you pressed on and held onto your dreams. I am so proud of you! I'd like to wish each and every one of you the best of luck in the future, reach your goals and never give up that fighting Indian Spirit! IPI!"

-Mrs. C. Williams, Math Teacher/ Your Jr. Class Advisor



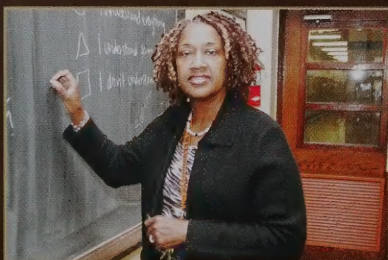
"First and foremost, I miss you guys, Secondly, I am so proud of you all. Some say nothing in life worth having comes easy, maybe that's why the school song says 'Its so hard to be a Weequahic Indian.' You are a determined group of fighters who proved you can get it done academically and no can ever take that away from you."

-Mr. Long, Vice Principal 2014



"It was a pleasure to have the opportunity to work with many of you during my time at WHS. Your thirst for knowledge and drive made the Law Academy a great pillar at Weequahic. Remember that you are your ancestor's wildest dreams. Make them proud, make us proud, and more importantly make yourself proud."

-Mrs. Beverly Russell, Law Academy/
Student Council



"My first day at Weequahic was your first day at Weequahic. I am so proud to see the great young men and women that you have grown to become. You have taught me so much and have showed me the true heart of an Indian, a heart that's accepting and loving. I wish you nothing but the best of luck and remember I will always be there for advice and support."

-Joseph Hrdina, Math Teacher/HSPA Coach



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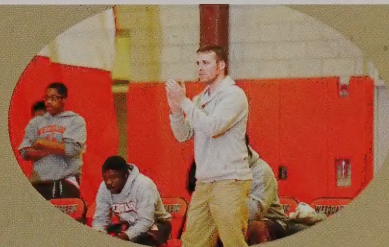
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To the Legend 2015 Staff,
Many of your peers began this journey with us, but as time pressed on and tasks were due the numbers began to dwindle. Those faithful few that remained represent the true heart of an **INDIAN**, one that **perserves** and keeps **fighting**. Your school pride resonant throughout this book. I hope you are proud of completing such a great accomplishment!! This was my first year as advisor and your first year too. It didn't matter. You rolled up your sleeves and with **true grit and zest**, you got the job done! For that I am proud. Thank you for all of your hard work, for accepting the late night calls and early morning texts and most of all for not giving up!!! **I love you ladies to the moon and back.**

-Ms. Poole, Yearbook Advisor/ History Teacher

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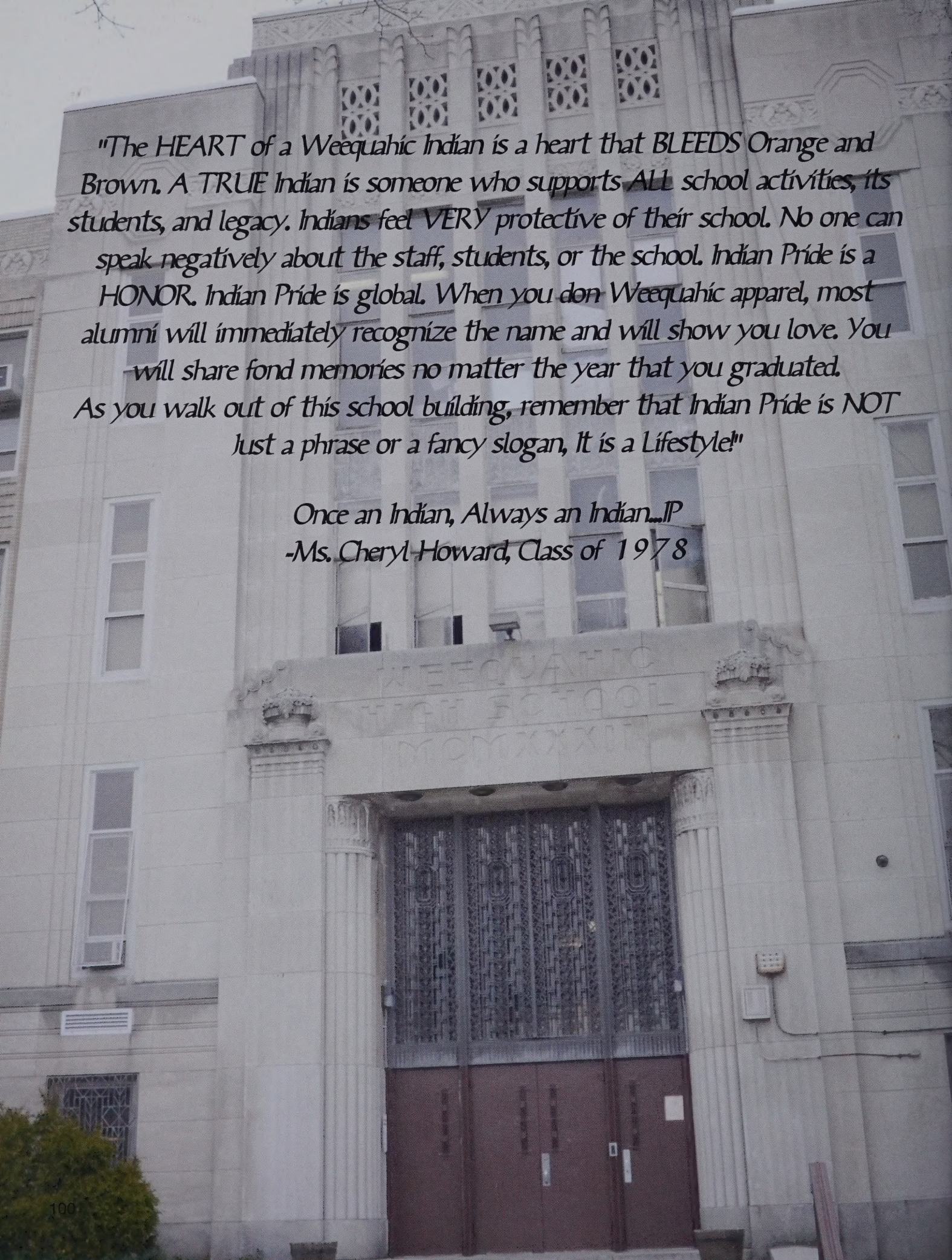


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"The HEART of a Weequahic Indian is a heart that BLEEDS Orange and Brown. A TRUE Indian is someone who supports ALL school activities, its students, and legacy. Indians feel VERY protective of their school. No one can speak negatively about the staff, students, or the school. Indian Pride is a HONOR. Indian Pride is global. When you don Weequahic apparel, most alumni will immediately recognize the name and will show you love. You will share fond memories no matter the year that you graduated. As you walk out of this school building, remember that Indian Pride is NOT just a phrase or a fancy slogan, It is a Lifestyle!"

*Once an Indian, Always an Indian...IP
-Ms. Cheryl Howard, Class of 1978*



The
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**CONQUERS
ALL**



INSPIRATION
PERSEVERANCE
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